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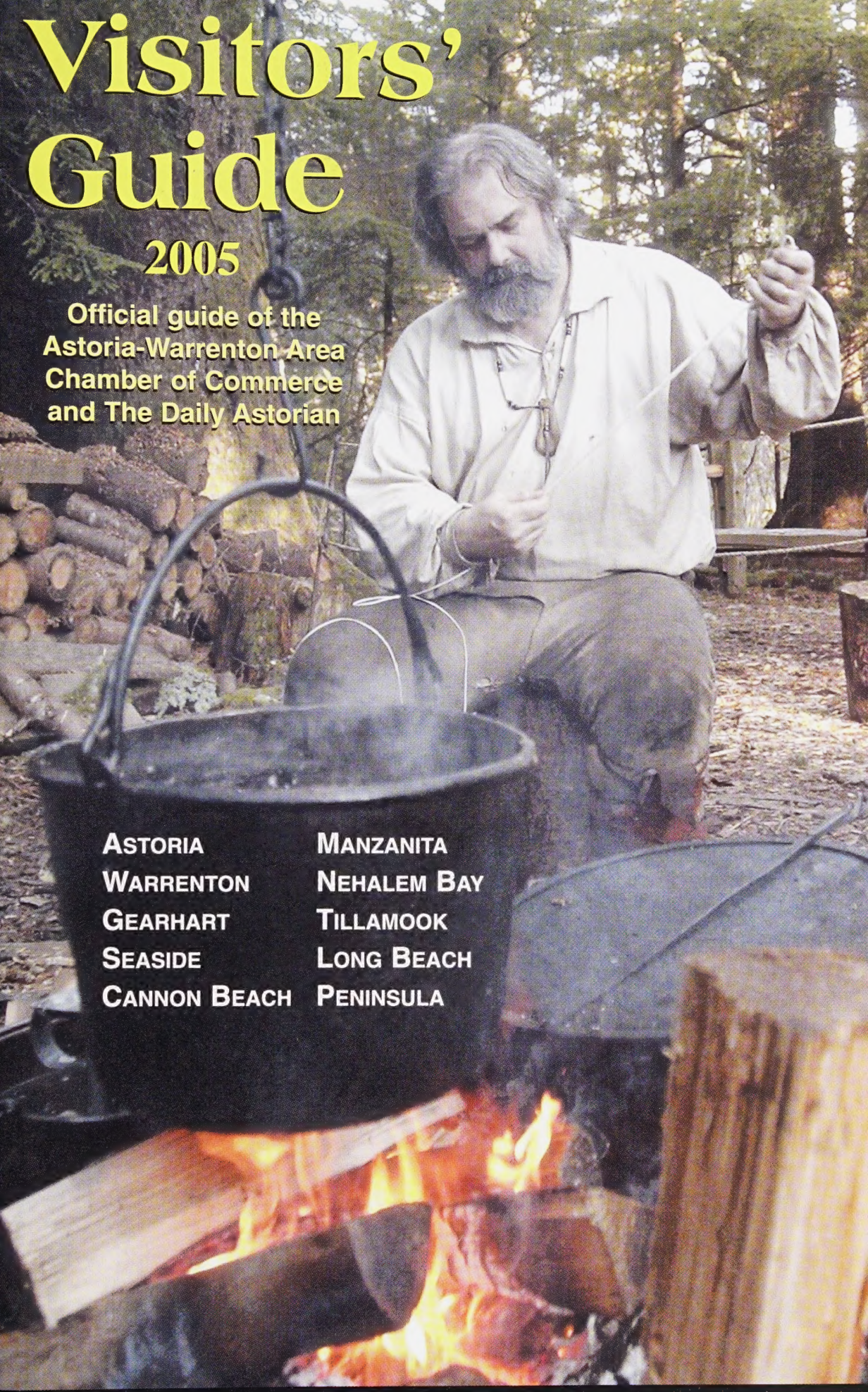

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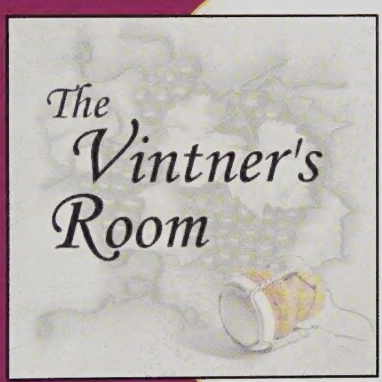

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Whether we are the final destination of your trip or you are passing through the area, we are certain you will become enchanted with the diversity our region has to offer. The North Coast marks the meeting of forest-covered mountains with the vastness of the Pacific Ocean. Bounded on the north by the Columbia River, our unique geography has set the stage for our past, our present and our future.

2005 marks the 200th anniversary of when our most famous visitors, Lewis and Clark and the Corps of Discovery, dropped by for a winter's stay. Their exploration of our area still provides an excellent itinerary for the modern explorer. Arriving by canoe, the Corps first toured the Washington side of the Columbia River, traveling as far north as Long Beach on the Pacific Ocean. Eager to experience the food and lodging amenities on the Oregon side of the river, the Corps then crossed the Columbia and jaunted about Astoria and Warrenton. Their wanderings also took them south to Seaside and Cannon Beach. You, too, can visit the Fort Clatsop National Memorial in Warrenton on the site where Lewis and Clark and the Corps of Discovery ultimately chose to stay for the winter. Also, you will find that our area accommodations have improved considerably over the past 200 years.

The Visitors' Guide you are reading is the official guide of the Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce. Use it like a treasure map to find local attractions and activities such as world-class beaches, forests, fishing, historic sites, parks and campgrounds, museums, things to do and places to stay. I want to personally invite you to explore any of Astoria's three historic districts, where you will find hundreds of historic homes and buildings. Any local resident can point you to "The Goonies" house, site of the filming of that famous movie 20 years ago right here in Astoria. And you can't beat the fun of a ride on our genuine antique trolley car that rolls along our waterfront tracks.

During your visit, you will begin to understand why local residents choose to live and work here. We are happy to be your hosts, and I wish to extend my warmest welcome to you.

— Steve Nurding
President, 2005
Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce

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About This Guide

The Daily Astorian and the Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce combined talents to produce this guide to enhance your stay in the region at the end of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

The cover photograph was taken by Daily Astorian photographer Lori Assa at Fort Clatsop National Memorial during a "Wintering Over" event featuring re-enactors of the Lewis and Clark party in December 2004. Other photographs are from The Daily Astorian files and Destination: The Pacific.

Sue Cody, deputy managing editor of The Daily Astorian, designed the cover, coordinated and edited the project. Max Charlton designed and laid out the contents.

Lewis and Clark Bicentennial

LORI ASSA

A re-enactor portrays Meriwether Lewis. The dog portrays Seaman, the dog on the expedition.

Corps of Discovery reaches the Pacific

"We are now at the end of our voyage, which has been completely accomplished according to the intention of the expedition..."

— Sgt. Patrick Gass, Nov. 16, 1805

By TOM BENNETT

No "hoorah!"

No "we made it!"

Just a simple statement of a job completed from this member of the Lewis and Clark expedition, whose 4,000-mile journey across North America ended on a sandy beach on the north shore of the Columbia River two centuries ago.

As the 200th anniversary of Lewis and Clark's arrival, 2005 is a big year for the North Coast, where visitors will find new attractions, special events and even a whole new national park dedicated to telling the complete story of the party's arrival and stay in the lower Columbia River region.

The activities culminate in November's "Destination: The Pacific," the five-day Bicentennial event commemorating the Corps of Discovery and its legacy with arts, music, dancing, lectures and a human chain spanning the Columbia River.

The 33-member Corps of Discovery arrived at the Pacific Ocean after a year-and-a-half journey across the continent

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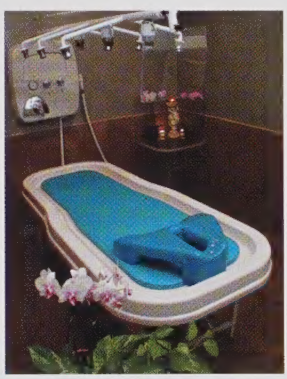

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during which the party made contact with several Native American tribes, discovered many previously unknown plant and animal species and helped strengthen the claim of a fledgling United States to the Pacific Northwest.

During their trek, the explorers battled stifling heat and subzero temperatures, dodged hailstones and trudged through hip-deep snow. But the violent winter storms that greeted them at the mouth of the Columbia River brought the party what Capt. William Clark described as "the most disagreeable time I have experienced."

After a relatively easy paddle down the Columbia River in their dugout canoes, the party reached a campsite on the north shore at Pillar Rock, where on Nov. 7 Clark's journal entry – "Great joy in camp we are in View of the Ocian" – revealed the group's pleasure at the apparent end of their mission. But Clark was mistaken – the party was still about 20 miles from the mouth of the river, and the next few days would test the explorers as they struggled down that last stretch through wind, rain and raging waters.

"It would be distressing to a feeling person to See our Situation at this time all wet and cold with our bedding etc. also wet, in a Cove Scercely large nough to Contain us."

— William Clark, Nov. 15, 1805.

After several perilous days virtually stranded on the north shore of the river at a site Clark dubbed a "dismal nitch," on Nov. 15, the Corps reached a sandy beach it christened Station Camp, just east of present-day Chinook, Wash., where the group, finally "in full view of the Ocian," declared its mission fulfilled. After polling the members, including Sacagawea and Clark's slave York, the captains decided to find an encampment on the south side of the river where the party could spend the winter before beginning its return journey.

Fort Clatsop, named for the local Clatsop Indian tribe, was the Corps' home during the long, wet winter from late December to March. The crude log structure near the bank of a small river provided the explorers shelter from the rain, damp and cold as they replaced their tattered clothing, explored the surrounding area and made detailed observations of the area's plants, wildlife and native inhabitants.

The explorers' encampment is marked today by a replica fort, where interpreters, in authentic dress, portray actual members of the party for visitors and give demonstrations of frontier survival skills. The adjacent visitor center offers films and displays about the expedition and the local Native Americans who hosted them.

LORI ASSA

The Fort-to-Sea Trail cuts a swath from Fort Clatsop to the Pacific Ocean in the Warrenton area.

Last year Fort Clatsop park became part of the Lewis and Clark National and State Historical Parks. The new two-state, multisite park encompasses historic sites and attractions that illuminate the entire story of the explorers' arrival and stay at the mouth of the Columbia River.

• **Clark's "Dismal Nitch"** – A vicious winter storm stranded the party on a tiny piece of shoreline, for almost a week in November 1805. It is one mile east of the Astoria Bridge on Washington State Route 4. The site is commemorated today with an interpretive sign at the nearby Megler Rest Area.

• **Station Camp** – After escaping Dismal Nitch the party arrived at this more hospitable site about three miles downstream, "in full view of the Ocian," where they camped for 10 days. It was here that the group, including Sacagawea and Clark's slave York, voted on where to spend the winter. It is on U.S. Highway 101 two miles west of the Astoria Bridge on the Washington side of the river.

The Washington State Historical Society is developing a public park at the site commemorating Lewis and Clark's brief stay, the Chinook Indians who inhabited the area for hundreds of years and the salmon canneries that flourished there in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. The park is scheduled to be dedicated in November.

• **Fort to Sea Trail** – After the party picked the location for its winter quarters in December 1805, Capt. Clark led a group of men westward from the fort to find a usable route

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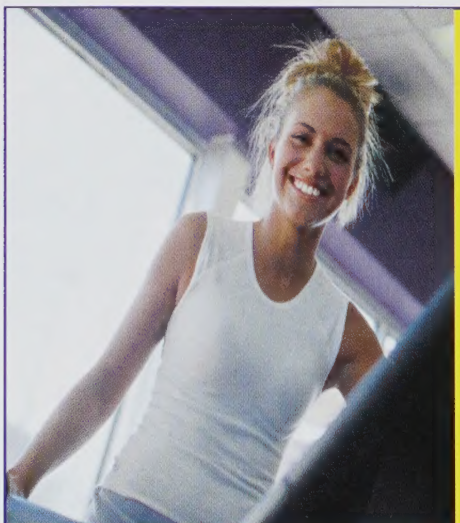

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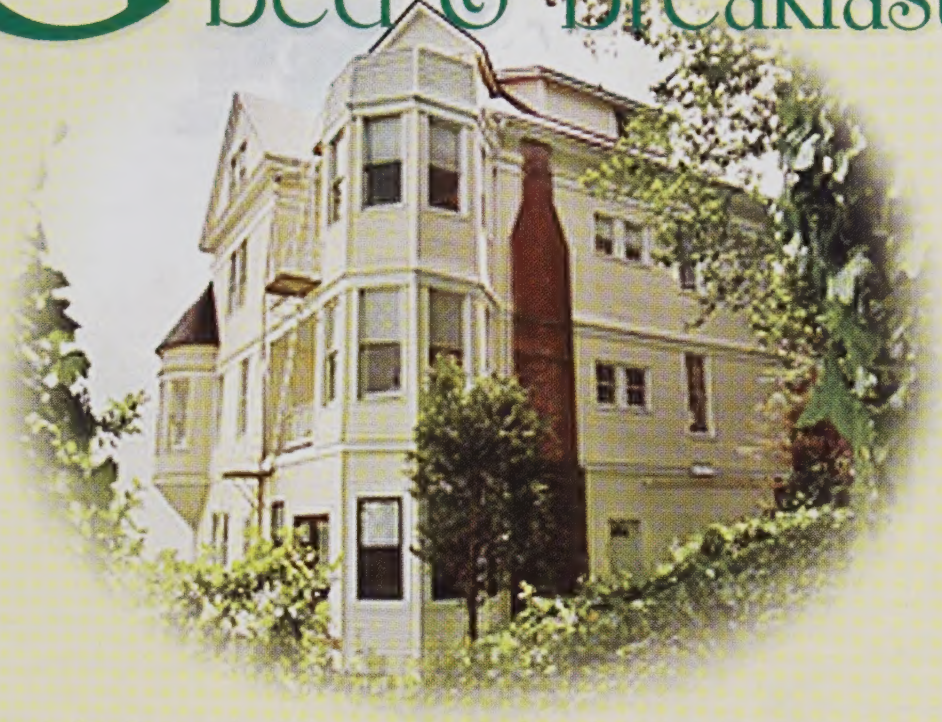

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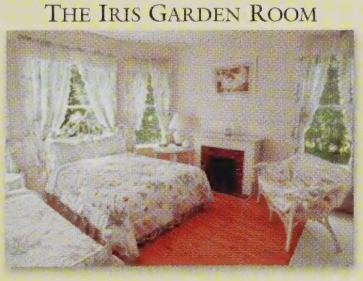

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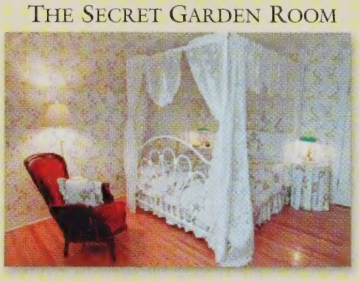

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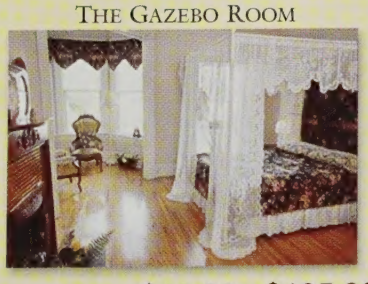

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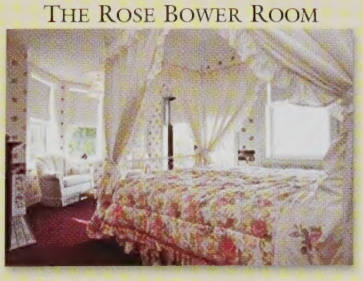

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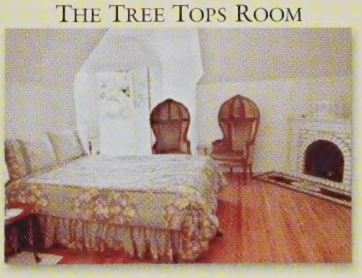

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to the ocean and a site where they hoped to set up a camp for boiling salt from seawater.

The six-mile trail, currently under construction and set for completion in November, follows the general route blazed by Clark from Fort Clatsop, crossing forest land recently purchased from Weyerhaeuser Corp. and ending at Sunset Beach.

• **Salt cairn** – A group of men from the expedition set up camp at present-day Seaside to boil seawater for salt, an important ingredient for preserving meat. A replica of the saltworks is located Lewis and Clark Way in Seaside. In July and August, interpreters re-enact the process in the living history program "The Saltmakers Return."

• **Ecola State Park** – Capt. Clark led a party over Tillamook Head to present-day Cannon Beach to trade with local Indians for oil and blubber from a beached whale. The park offers dramatic views of the Pacific shoreline, just north of Cannon Beach. It includes the new Clatsop Loop Trail that retraces a section of the route the explorers walked.

• **Cape Disappointment State Park** – Several members of the expedition hiked over the scenic bluffs of this coastal landmark, in Ilwaco, Wash., where they watched "with estonishment the high waves dashing against the rocks." The park's Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center, perched on a rocky bluff overlooking the mouth of the Columbia River, was recently renovated and expanded, and contains fascinating displays not only of the Lewis and Clark saga but also the region's Native American tribes, 19th-century military installations, shipwrecks and other local history.

• **Fort Stevens State Park** – The Clatsop Indians, who traded with Lewis and Clark during their stay at Fort Clatsop, had a village at Point Adams. The village site, marked today by a cedar longhouse, is one of many attractions at this 3,200-acre park that includes historic coastal artillery installations, camping sites, hiking and bike-riding trails and the wreck of the sailing ship Peter Iredale.

• **Fort Columbia State Park** – Lewis and Clark hiked over this headland as they explored the north shore of the Columbia River, just east of Chinook, Wash. Batteries, guns and barracks from the coastal artillery installation constructed there in the late 1800s are open to the public.

These sites and others can all be reached on the Lewis and Clark Explorer Shuttle bus system. Visitors can leave their cars at their hotels and campgrounds or designated parking lots and take the bus from numerous stops between Long Beach and Cannon Beach. For more information on bus routes see www.ridethebus.org or call (800) 776-6406.

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Native Americans

Clatsop-Nehalem Confederated Tribes

Lewis and Clark basically gave historical recognition to the Clatsop Indians through their journals, said Joe Scovell, ancestral chief and chairman of the Clatops-Nehalem Confederated Tribes. "The journals are referred to by ethnohistorians and show that we were in that area."

Lewis and Clark Bicentennial planners and President Bush made a point of including Native Americans who helped the Corps of Discovery in the commemorative events. "In this event," Scovell said, "American Indians had a part in the success of the expedition that was recognized by the planners, who gave emphasis to the Indians' place." From St. Louis to the Pacific Ocean, 58 tribes have been named as hosting the expedition.

The Clatsop-Nehalem Tribes plan to open a cultural store and exhibit in Seaside in February. They also are participants in the national Destination the Pacific and "Ocian in View" events. Tribe members will continue to be involved in teaching skills such as weaving bark and other plant reeds and making clothing. They also plan to carve a cedar canoe and host a feast or potlach during the November commemoration.

Chinook Nation

Members of the Chinook Indian Tribe/Chinook Nation continue to reside in their traditional homelands at the mouth of the Columbia River. The natural wealth of this area allowed them to develop a sophisticated culture highlighted by their large plankhouse villages and oceangoing canoes. Salmon, sturgeon, shellfish, numerous plant foods as well as land and sea mammals sustained them. The Western red cedar was perhaps the most significant of plants utilized. It provided construction materials for homes, was the primary material for canoe construction and even its bark was shredded for towels and babies' bedding and diapers. The ancestors of the Chinook Nation were essential to the survival of Lewis and Clark's Corps of Discovery during the winter of 1805-06.

The sovereign Chinook Nation is the heir of the five westernmost tribes of Chinookan people – the Lower Chinook, Clatsop, Willapa, Kathlamet and Wahkiakum. These people originate in both southwest Washington and northwest Oregon, and were speakers of two distinct dialects of the Chinookan language which extends east on the Columbia River to The Dalles, Ore.

The tribe's offices are located in Chinook, Wash., although the tribe's membership is distributed throughout the region. The tribe governs itself with an elected nine-member tribal council. Today the tribe is striving to regain federal acknowledgment and preserve its unique and proud heritage for generations to come.

Lewis and Clark organizations

The following is a list of organizations dedicated to the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial.

National Council for the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial

The National Council for the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial is the governing body appointed by the president that sanctioned each of the 15 Signature Events. Its Web site is a vast resource of national Bicentennial and tribal activities, school programs, student activities and more. Based in St. Louis, the National Council can be reached at the Missouri Historical Society, P.O. Box 11940, St. Louis, MO. 63112-0040. Phone toll-free: (888) 999-1830 or (314) 361-9031. E-mail bicentennial@lewisandclark200.org or visit www.lewisandclark200.org

Oregon

Lewis and Clark Bicentennial in Oregon is housed at Lewis and Clark University, P.O. Box 10004, Portland, OR 97296. Phone: (503) 768-7444. Web site: www.lcbo.net

Clatsop County, Ore.

The Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Association helped plan Signature Event activities and offers a Junior Corps of Discovery Program that awards certificates to young people. For more information, call (503) 861-4403. E-mail: lcba@lewisandclarkcoast.com or write to P.O. Box 2005 (offices at Fort Clatsop), Astoria, OR 97103. www.lewisandclarkcoast.com

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Pacific County, Wash.

The Pacific County Friends of Lewis and Clark, P.O. Box 1059, Long Beach, WA 98631. Phone: (360) 642-2805. Visit the Web at www.lewisandclarkwa.org for information about the "Ocian in View" speaker series.

Clatsop-Nehalem Confederated Tribes

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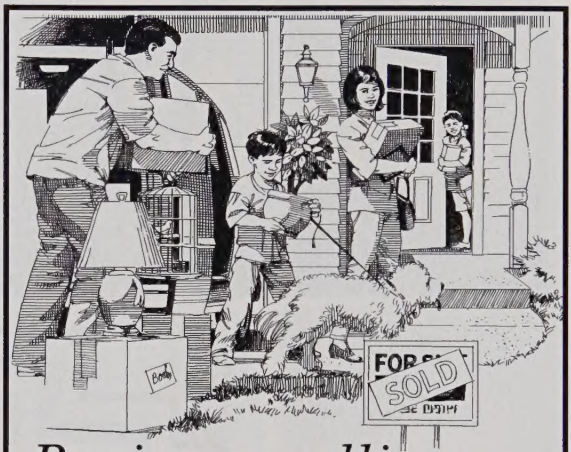

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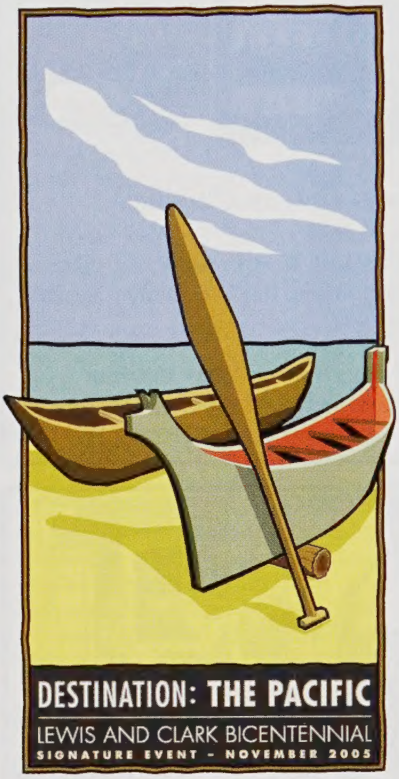

Signature Events Highlight Bicentennial

Destination: The Pacific
Nov. 11 to 15, 2005

Destination: The Pacific has been sanctioned by the National Council for the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial as one of only 15 Signature Events taking place along the Lewis and Clark trail. It is the Signature Event for Oregon and Washington that commemorates the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial. Signature Event activities take place Nov. 11 through 15, with a special commemoration of "The Vote at Station Camp," Nov. 24. The bi-state collaboration features an assortment of programs and activities that commemorate the historical significance of the Corps of Discovery's exploration of the Lower Columbia River region, the Native Americans who resided here and the bountiful opportunities that continue today. Visit the Web site: www.destinationthepacific.com

Cast Your Vote

Would you vote if your life depended on it? Find out how your vote could have changed the course of history. In the winter of 1805, the Corps of Discovery gathered at Station Camp near Chinook, Wash., to vote on where to spend the winter. The Corps of Discovery invites you to cast your vote on the Internet. After learning about the options the Corps faced for a possible winter camp, you can cast your vote. Once you vote, you'll learn how other members of the Corps voted and how that choice may have changed the course of history for the lower Columbia River region. Instructions: Visit www.destinationthepacific.com; Click on "The Vote" link in the upper right-hand corner; Follow the chapters of the story; Vote. Online votes will be tallied at the end of the year and incorporated in the commemoration of "The Vote at Station Camp," Nov. 24, as part of Signature Event Activities.

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Fort Stevens State Park, Warrenton

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"Ocian in View" offers a robust series of lectures, presentations and a live debate focusing on themes that explore the Columbia River, regional Native American tribal culture and the mythology of the Lewis and Clark expedition. Eight presentations provide an opportunity to immerse attendees in the rich history of the region with thought-provoking discussions and presentations designed to leave an impact.

Festival of the Pacific:
Lewis and Clark Remembered
10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov. 11 and 12
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 13
Clatsop County Fairgrounds, Astoria

Towering trees set within a botanical garden showcasing regional plants will be the first thing to greet visitors as they enter Festival of the Pacific. This centerpiece attraction sets the tone for a festival designed to delight the youngest to the oldest festival-goers. A children's area offers kids a chance to trade beads, earn their Junior Corps of Discovery badges and experience story-telling and other entertainment.

There will be tribal music performances, dancing and demonstrations, speakers and an opportunity to explore the 33 plants recorded by Lewis and Clark in their journals.

The festival also offers Bicentennial fans a place to shop for Lewis and Clark-era gifts and commemorative

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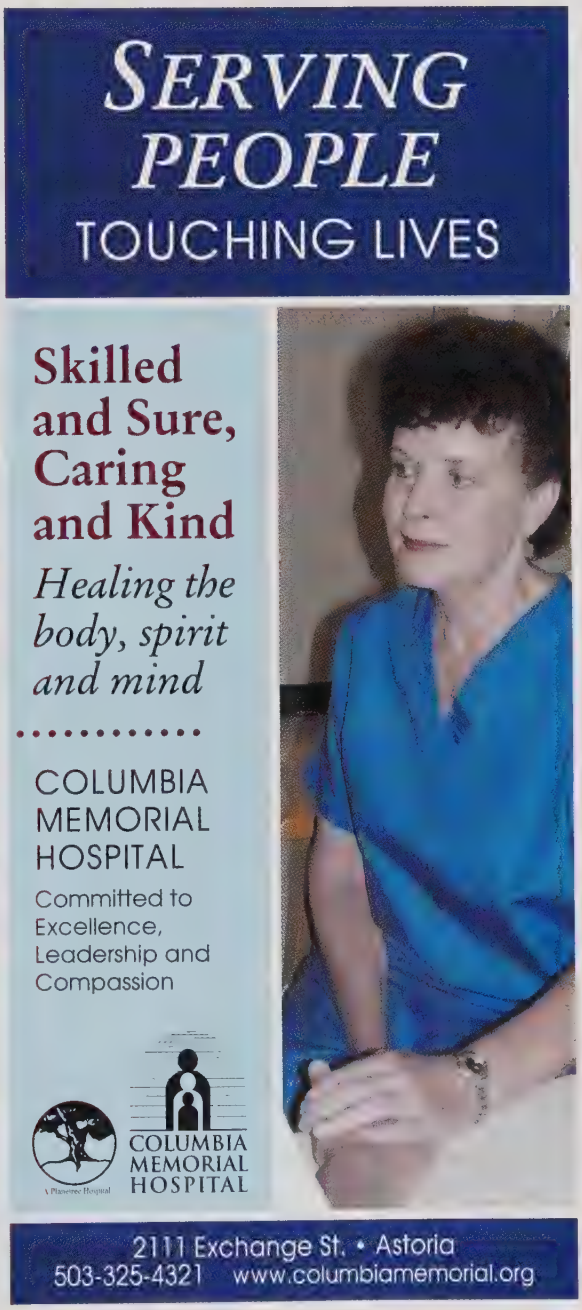

Crowds line up to get into the exhibit tent of Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years into the Future. The photo was taken Oct. 18, 2003, during the Ohio Signature Event.

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souvenirs. A "Then and Now" theme threads the past to the present with vendor booths featuring regional products, including wine, food and gifts.

Consider the Columbia: Hands Across the Water
Nov. 13
Astoria Bridge

A billowing ribbon of color will be spread across the Columbia River as more than 4,000 people hold hands across the water, symbolizing the connection between Oregon and Washington, Native American tribes and the common culture. The event offers a singular moment of shared reflection providing a life-long memory for those who participate.

Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future
Nov. 7 to 15
Long Beach, Wash.
Nov. 19 to 22
Seaside

Created and staffed by the National Park Service with numerous federal partners, Corps of Discovery II travels the Lewis and Clark Trail in conjunction with the national Bicentennial commemoration. This unique interactive traveling exhibit offers visitors a chance to learn about the expedition and its significance in American history through two constituent parts: An exhibition tent and the Tent of Many Voices, a multimedia-ready auditorium that seats 250 people. In addition, Corps of Discovery II includes a half-scale replica keelboat and a full-scale Plains Indian teepee. Several federal and state partners will mount exhibits adjacent to the Corps' exhibit.

'Painless Lewis and Clark'
8 p.m. Nov. 11
2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Nov. 12
8 p.m. Nov. 13
Liberty Theater, Astoria

"Painless Lewis and Clark" is a folk music revue of the expedition's journey across America and their encounters with tribal groups along the way. This family event offers a snappy lesson in Lewis and Clark history, with music written and performed by Randy Sparks, founder of the New Christy Minstrels. Performers from local and regional musical groups will provide backup.

Dedication of Station Camp and the new National Park
1 to 4 p.m. Nov. 15
Station Camp, Wash.

Washington State Historical Society is developing a program for the formal dedication of Station Camp, Lewis and Clark's camp near Chinook, Wash., as part of the new National Lewis and Clark Historical Park, which encompasses sites in Oregon and Washington.

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Dedication of the Confluence Project
Nov. 18
Cape Disappointment State Park, Wash.

Artist Maya Lin dedicates the first installation of her "Confluence of Cultures" serial art project. The first in the series includes three pieces at Cape Disappointment State Park. The Confluence Project works, which may include both building and landscape designs as well as integrated artwork, will be located at key confluences of the Columbia River and its tributaries. Through place and art, the project's goal is to reflect a consciousness of the tremendous changes set in motion by the Corps of Discovery in the Northwest, its native people and environment.

The Vote at Station Camp
Nov. 24
Station Camp, Wash.

Campfires along the Columbia River at the new Station Camp park will provide an inviting ambiance for commemorating the historic vote where the Corps of Discovery polled the party, including York and Sacagawea, about where to winter over. Participants will cast their own votes, which will be counted with the online tally for a final count to be announced as part of the activities. Newfoundland dogs, re-enactors and vendor booths will be part of the event.

Wintering Over Events

"Wintering Over" activities are scheduled each month through March 2006. The activities will commemorate key historic activities of the Corps of Discovery's exploration of the Oregon Coast and their interaction with the Native Americans residing in the area.

Wintering Over 'Snuggly Fixed in their Huts'
Dec. 25
Fort Clatsop

A Bicentennial Christmas is planned at Fort Clatsop. Re-enactors portray members of the Corps of Discovery party, wear buckskins, demonstrate frontier skills, trade goods with visitors and camp in the cold.

Ecola Crossing: A Whale of an Event!
January 2006
Cannon Beach

A hike across Tillamook Head near Cannon Beach will commemorate the historic hike Capt. Clark, Sacagawea and other members of the Corps of Discovery made to see a whale that had washed ashore.

Salt Makers Return
Feb. 17, 18. 19, 2006
Seaside

Members of Fort Clatsop's Living History Corps build an ocean-side camp where they boil salt, trade with visitors and talk about their journey West.

The Return Home
March 23, 2006
Fort Clatsop

Fort Clatsop National Memorial hosts a ceremony that commemorates the departure of the Corps from their winter camp and the Native Americans who remained.

Other Significant Lewis and Clark related events
Lewis and Clark: The National Bicentennial Exhibition
Nov. 11, 2005 to March 11, 2006
Oregon Historical Society, Portland

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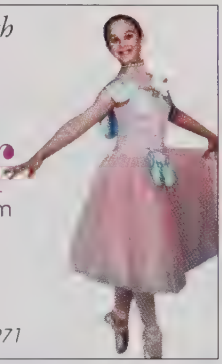

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Events at Fort Clatsop

Fort Clatsop

Fort Clatsop National Memorial commemorates the 1805-06 winter encampment of the Lewis and Clark Expedition. A 1955 community-built replica of the explorers' 50-by-50-foot hut is the focus of the park. The fort, historic canoe landing and spring are nestled in the forest.

During the summer months, the park offers interpretive programs with rangers in costume at the replica of the fort. Schedules are posted in the visitor center daily mid-June through Labor Day.

"Seaman's Day"
July 6

Learn about the role of Seaman, Capt. Lewis' Newfoundland dog, on the expedition.

"The Saltmakers Return"
July 15-17, Aug. 19-21
Seaside

First-person interpreters portray members of the Corps of Discovery at this re-creation of the saltworks on the beach at Seaside. Talk with the expedition members, find out about their journey, and even barter for trade goods.

"Christmas 1805"
July 25

Learn about how the Corps of Discovery celebrated Christmas at Fort Clatsop.

National Public Lands Day
Sept. 17

Admission to the park is free in recognition of all public lands.

"Most eligible situation"
Dec. 7-11

Learn about the site of the Lewis and Clark winter encampment.

"Wintering Over"
Dec. 25-27

Meet the members of the expedition, portrayed by first-person interpreters, as they celebrate Christmas and settle into their winter stay on the coast.

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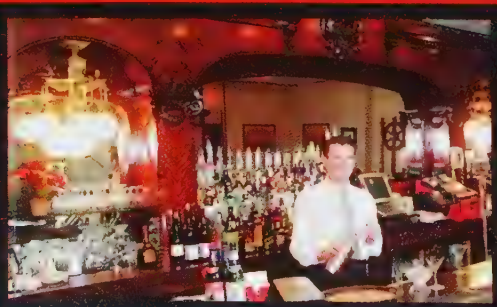

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An aerial view of cruise ships docking at the Port of Astoria.

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Astoria, the oldest American settlement west of the Rocky Mountains, is an enticing place to visit. It has more buildings on the National Historic Register per square foot than anywhere else in Oregon, and numerous theaters, art galleries and unique restaurants, Astoria is becoming a tourist destination for ship cruises, train travelers and vacationers driving the Lewis and Clark Trail.

Whether you're strolling through the extensive Sunday Market with its farm-fresh vegetables and crafts or walking on the Riverwalk, you're sure to enjoy the ambiance of this former "Salmon Capital of the World."

The future looks bright, with extensive riverfront improvements and building renovations grounding the city in its colorful history.

Astoria is a friendly place and provides easy access to major recreational areas on Oregon's North Coast and the Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula. Visitors can enjoy stunning views of the Columbia River from numerous points in the city along with river cruises, walking and driving tours, wildlife viewing, shopping and dining.

The trolley's bell, the ships' whistles and the sea lions' barking add to the maritime ambiance of this enchanting town.

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Historic Astoria Waterfront

Explore Astoria's historic waterfront. Observe barges and freighters navigating the river in the course of their duties. Watch commercial fishing vessels delivering their daily catches to waiting fish markets and processing plants.

Wear comfy shoes and stroll the paved Astoria Riverwalk for a close-up look at the waterfront.

Astoria Riverfront Trolley

Ride Old 300 for an up-close look at Astoria's canneries, sea lions and boat traffic on the Columbia River.

A beautifully refurbished 1913 streetcar, Old 300 carries passengers between the Port of Astoria and the East Mooring Basin. An all-volunteer group of motormen and conductors guide passengers along the four-mile ride, regaling them with tales of the area.

During the summer season, Old 300 runs 3 to 9 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, and 11:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday through Monday.

Weather permitting, the trolley runs Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September through May. During spring break in March, visitors will probably enjoy week-long transportation.

Just $1 will let you board Old 300. Seasonal passes are available for $25 and the $2 All-Day Fare allows passengers to get on and off multiple times.

For more information, call (503) 325-6311.

Columbia River Maritime Museum

The Columbia River Maritime Museum, where the region's rich maritime legacy comes alive, is a "must see" for visitors to Astoria. The official maritime museum of the state of Oregon, it is the first nationally-accredited maritime museum on the Northwest Coast. It houses one of the most extensive collections of nautical artifacts on the West Coast.

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The Astoria Riverfront Trolley is a big hit with visitors. It travels along the Columbia River on Astoria's waterfront.

Examine marine transportation from the days of dugout canoes to the present. Walk the bridge of a World War II vessel. Board the Columbia, a lightship that once guided ships to safety at the Mouth of the Columbia River. Participate in a Columbia River Bar Coast Guard rescue.

New exhibits and the architectural beauty of the updated museum captivate visitors. One of the most dramatic exhibits is a 44-foot Coast Guard motor lifeboat in the glassed-in expansion on the building's south side.

The Columbia River Maritime Museum, 1792 Marine Drive, is open daily from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. It is closed

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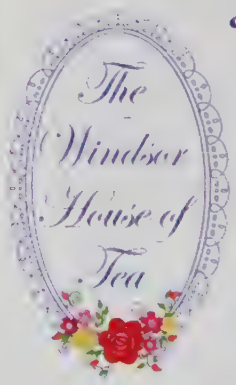

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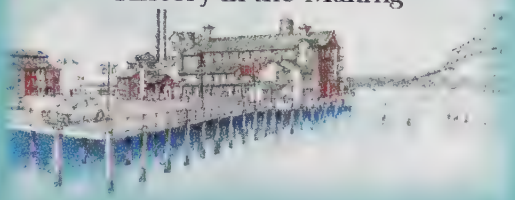

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The Astoria Riverwalk attracts walkers, joggers and bikers.

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Thanksgiving and Christmas. Admission is $8 for adults, $7 for seniors (65 and older) and $4 for children ages 6 to 17. Children age 5 and younger are admitted free. A family package is available for $20. This admits two parents or grandparents and children. For more information, call (503) 325-2323.

The Liberty Theater

While strolling downtown Astoria, it's hard to miss the landmark Liberty Theater, located at Commercial and 12th streets.

Dating from 1925, the Italian Renaissance-style building is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Silent films, plays, vaudeville performances and lectures have a history on the stage. It is undergoing a complete renovation and is now used as a regional performing arts center and houses the Astoria Music Festival in July. Look for the Grand Reopening of the theater in June.

Astoria Aquatic Center

Get in the swim of things at the Astoria Aquatic Center. It offers something for people of all ages. Swim in the recreation pool while a huge sprinkler sprays sheets of water on you; fly down a 100-foot open water slide with a 20-foot drop and lazy river current; work out in the six-lane 25-yard lap pool; relax in the adult hydro-spa pool; or watch your children splashing and playing in the kiddies' wading pool. There is also a snack bar and weight room.

The Astoria Aquatic Center, 1997 Marine Drive, is open 5:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 5:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and noon to 9 p.m. Saturday. It is closed to the public between 1 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, but available for rentals. Admission is $3.25 for resident youth (2 to 17 years), $3.50 for nonresident youth; $4.25 for resident adults (18 to 59 years), $4.50 for nonresident adults; $4 for resident seniors (age 60 and older) and $4.25 for nonresident seniors.

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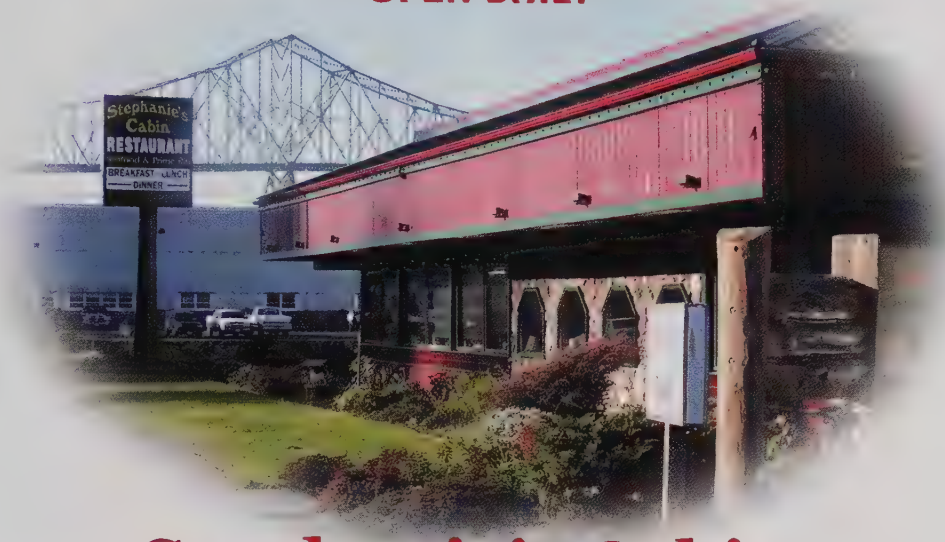

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Astoria Column

No visit to the North Coast would be complete without a stop at the Astoria Column. Plus, the views from the 125-foot monument are some of the best in the area. Ralph Budd, the president of the Great Northern Railway, paid for the Column to be built in 1926 as a monument to the arrival of the railroad in the Northwest.

The Column's 14 25-foot-long scenes represent the history of white settlers, in chronological order, with the earliest event at the bottom and the most recent at the top.

As for vistas, the Column has them. The ambitious visitor should climb the 164 steps to the top of the Column and get a spectacular, 360-degree gander at Washington, across the Columbia River, Saddle Mountain and the Pacific Ocean. At the top, you can throw a glider purchased from the concession stand.

You can treat the Column's stairs as a warm-up for several of the hiking trails that meander through Astoria, including the 1.5-mile-long trek to an old-growth giant known as the Cathedral Tree. The trail is next to the Column.

The Column is open daily from dawn until dusk. The Column concession booth is open daily from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. from May to September.

The rest of the year, the stand is open 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. You can purchase postcards, souvenirs and refreshments at the booth. Parking is $1. For more information call (503) 325-2963.

Capt. George Flavel House Museum, 441 Eighth St.

Built in 1885, the Capt. George Flavel House is considered to be one of the best examples of Queen Anne architecture in the Northwest. The home's interior features 14-foot-high ceilings, inlaid hardwoods and six fireplace mantels, made with materials imported from around the world. Capt. Flavel, an early Astoria millionaire, made his fortune as a river bar pilot and through real estate investments. Set on grounds covering an entire city block and including an 1887 carriage house, the estate was a triumph and a testament to what money could accomplish. A visit to the Flavel House begins at the Carriage House where tickets, exhibits, an interpretive video and a gift shop are found. Admission is $5 for adults; $4 for seniors, AAA members and students; and $2 for youth ages 6 to 17. Family tickets are $15. Clatsop County Historical Society members and children age 5 and younger are admitted free. The Flavel House is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days a week from May through September and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily October through April. For more information, call (503) 325-2203.

Uppertown Firefighters Museum, and Children's Museum, 2968 Marine Drive

The museum houses an extensive collection of firefighting equipment dating from 1879 to 1963. Featured are hand-pulled, horse-drawn and motorized fire engines as well as firefighting memorabilia and photos. The museum is now home to the Astoria Children's Museum, where children can create puppet shows, become a bank teller or join organized activities. The hours for both museums are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Sundays. Admission is $3.

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Clatsop County Historical Society's Heritage Museum, 1618 Exchange St.

Designed in 1904 by Portland architect Emil Schacht, the building housing the museum was originally built as Astoria's City Hall. It is now home to the Clatsop County Historical Society's archives and research library.

Two local economic engines since 1870, and for most of the 20th century, were logging and fishing, which are represented by an extensive display of tools, equipment and photographs.

Astoria's colorful past, when it was known as a party town for sailors up and down the West Coast, is portrayed in the permanent exhibit "Vice and Virtue in Clatsop County." The exhibit features the partial reconstruction of an infamous Astoria saloon.

The museum is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. April through September, and 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 3 p.m. October through March. Admission is $3 for adults; $2 for seniors, students and AAA members; and $1 for children 6 to 17. Free for children younger than 5.

For more information, call (503) 325-2203.

EVENTS

Crab and Seafood Festival

Delight in the tastes of fresh crab, seafood and Oregon wines at the 2004 Astoria-Warrenton Crab and Seafood Festival, April 22 through 24, at a location to be determined.

Sample crab fritters, crab cakes, shrimp and crab cocktails, oyster shooters and crab melts. Still hungry for crab?

The traditional crab dinner served by the Astoria Rotary Club promises to satisfy that hunger. Continuous entertainment, children's activities, a petting zoo, 40 Oregon winery booths, 40 eateries and 80 booths of arts and crafts add up to a great time for the whole family.

There is free frequent shuttle service to the festival from your motel or campground. Day care is available. For more information, call (503) 325-6311.

Fisher Poets Gathering

Every February, people with ties to the fishing industry gather to share stories, songs, artwork and food with others interested in fishing. The Fisher Poets Gathering features poets, writers, musical groups, art exhibits and workshops. The gathering got off the ground in 1998 and has grown each year. At the 2004 event, 50 performance slots were filled. This year's gathering is held Feb. 25 to 27.

Astoria Sunday Market

Take advantage of your free time and check out Astoria's Sunday Market. Stroll leisurely up and down 12th Street where vendors offer farm fresh produce, crafts and specialty foods. Live entertainment, along with an international food court, enhance the day's experience. The market is open Sundays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 8 through Oct. 2.

Scandinavian Midsummer Festival

The general goodwill of cheerful people is a vital part of this celebration. If you're Scandinavian, the Midsummer Festival offers a chance for you to renew ties with the old country. One doesn't need Scandinavian heritage, however, to get into the spirit of this event. Taste mouth-watering food, listen to beautiful music and shop for handmade crafts. The featured event on Friday evening is the selection and crowning of Miss Scandinavia. After the coronation, follow Miss Scandinavia and her court to the bonfire to burn hexes for good luck. Dust off your dancing shoes Saturday and polka, waltz, hambo or schottische the night away. The festival will be held at the Clatsop County Fairgrounds, 92937 Walluski Loop, June 17 to 19. For more information, call (503) 325-6311.

"Shanghaied in Astoria"

This year marks the 21th season for Astoria's own famous "Shanghaied in Astoria." Local actors and actresses delight audiences with their portrayals of 19th century villains, heroes and heroines in this melodrama. The production opens July 7 and runs Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays through mid-September. For more information, call (503) 325-6104.

Astoria Regatta Festival

The Astoria Regatta has been a tradition since 1894. The year 2004 marked the festival's 110th year, making it the oldest festival in the Northwest. This five-day celebration Aug. 10 to 14 on Astoria's historic waterfront has something for everyone – sailboat races, concerts, classic cars, softball, ship tours and great food, featuring a pancake breakfast and salmon barbecue.

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Popular local writer Dave Densmore reads at the 2004 Fisher Poets Gathering.

For more information, call (503) 325-6311 or write Astoria Regatta Association at P.O. Box 24, Astoria, OR 97103.

Great Columbia Crossing

Be part of the Great Columbia Crossing 10K Walk/Run Oct. 2 across the mouth of the Columbia River on the 4.1-mile Astoria-Megler Bridge, which is open to pedestrians just once a year for this event. Registration fee includes T-shirt, shuttle service from Astoria to the start line in Washington and chowder feed at the finish line. For more information check out the Web site at www.greatcolumbiacrossing.com

HIDDEN TREASURES: Stepping beyond the usual tourist traps

By STEVE FORRESTER

Astoria is not a theme park. In a nation that is increasingly anonymous, Astoria is a very particular place. The town has an abundance of curiosities, nooks and crannies.

The patient observer who walks Astoria's hills in all weather will be rewarded. On sunny days, the town sparkles and you wonder why more people don't live here. On foggy days, the town's magnificent collection of Victorian homes are seen as if through a soft-focus lens. In the rain, walk Astor Street by the river and imagine the Barbary Coast atmosphere that prevailed at the turn of the century, when houses of prostitution dotted the waterfront and sailors were shanghaied from saloons.

Here are some of the town's curiosities:

• On an obscure vacant lot, amidst foliage and beneath a spreading tree, is an obelisk marking the first U.S. post office west of the Rocky Mountains. It is on the east side of 15th Street between Exchange Street and Franklin Avenue.

• In the block at 15th and Exchange streets is the spot where Fort Astoria stood. This is where it all began. Notice the marble marker to Ranald MacDonald at the east side of this lot, with English language on one side and Japanese characters on the other.

• On the northeast corner of the intersection of Exchange and Ninth streets, there is a stone which marks the southern edge of the great Astoria Fire of 1922.

• The Doughboy monument on the south side of the 2100 block of Marine Drive contains the first public restrooms to be placed on the National Register of Historic Places.

LORI ASSA

The melodrama, "Shanghaied in Astoria," will begin its 21st year of production this year in Astoria.

• The Astoria Riverfront Trolley is a delightful way to see the town.

• Astoria and the North Coast are home to an astounding array of theatrical and musical talent. Catch a production at the River Theater or see "Shanghaied in Astoria" at the Astor Street Opry Co. Venture inside the Liberty Theater at Commercial and 12th streets to see the rich decorative plaster in this vaudeville/motion picture palace.

• A replica of the first U.S. Customs house west of the Rockies stands in the 3300 block of Lief Erickson Drive.

• Get "The Captain's Walking Tour of Downtown Astoria" and the "Pilot's Walking Tour of Downtown Astoria" by Bruce Berney. They are available at the Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce.

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MUGGING FOR THE MOVIES: See the Hollywood sites in Astoria

The beauty of the North Coast draws visitors from all over the world. So, it's no surprise that Hollywood has been using the natural sets of the area as a backdrop for some memorable blockbusters.

The Clatsop County Historical Society offers a tour book of Astoria movie locations.

LORI ASSA

Frédéric China traveled from France in 2004 to visit "The Goonies" house in Astoria.

"The Goonies"

Steven Spielberg's movie has achieved cult status and draws many visitors to Astoria just to see its locations, especially the Goonies' house at 368 38th St. The 1984 film was the first major motion picture to make use of Astoria and the North Coast as a backdrop, but you won't find One-Eyed Willy's cave or the Fratelli's restaurant. Those were movie sets, not the real thing.

"Come See The Paradise"

Only Hollywood would attempt to fly a kite while running on the mudflats of Youngs Bay the way Dennis Quaid did in the 1989 film "Come See The Paradise." The neat thing is we don't have to pay admission to see paradise here on the North Coast. We're already there.

"Kindergarten Cop"

John Jacob Astor Elementary School, 3550 Franklin Ave., was the main location for "Kindergarten Cop," but other scenes were shot at the West End Mooring Basin where the Astoria Red Lion Hotel, 400 Industry St., was the setting for a romantic dinner with Arnold Schwarzenegger and his co-star, Penelope Ann Miller. During filming, The Bayview Motel, 783 W. Marine Drive, was home to Schwarzenegger's character and his partner, Phoebe O'Hara, played by actress Pamela Reed. In the movie, Schwarzenegger stayed in room 5 and Reed in room 6. The inside of the motel rooms were replicated in a Hollywood movie studio.

"Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles III"

One of the hangars at North Tongue Point was made into a sound stage for this movie, and except for some filming done in New York, the entire film was shot here on the North Coast. A Japanese village was built in a clearing near Saddle Mountain and Fort Stevens State Park was used for some filming.

"Free Willy"

In 1992, the feature film "Free Willy," made use of some of the North Coast's locales. The 14th Street dock in Astoria was turned into a fish market, complete with imported fish tossers from Seattle's Pike Place Market. And the breakwater at the Hammond Marina was the site where Willy's leap to freedom was filmed.

"Short Circuit"

A few robots jumped off the Astoria Bridge in "Short Circuit" and although the house at 197 Hume St. was the home for star Ally Sheedy's character, the majority of the film was shot in The Dalles.

Be sure to get a copy of the tour book of movie locations from the Clatsop County Historical Society, 1618 Exchange St., (503) 325-2203, or from the Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce, 111 W. Marine Drive, (503) 325-6311 or (800) 535-3637.

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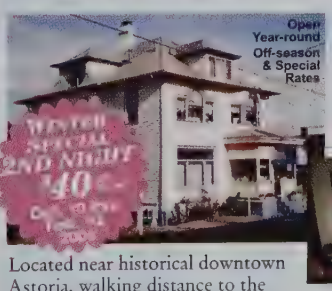

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The train made its first visit to Astoria in 2003 amid much fanfare. It was the first to arrive in the city in about 50 years. And through the summer, it proved to be popular, carrying about 18,000 people to Astoria from Portland's Linnton Station.

Moving at an average speed of 25 to 30 mph, the train did not set any speed records on its trip from Portland to Astoria, but passengers seemed to enjoy the leisurely four-hour ride that let scenery slip, rather than blur, by.

And the train provides an alternative to U.S. Highways 26 and 30 that tend to become congested during the summer months.

The train is scheduled to run from June 3 to Oct. 3, making two trips each day, Friday through Monday.

LORI ASSA

You never know who you might meet on the Explorer Train to Astoria. Here, U.S. Sen. Ron Wyden greets passengers.

The train consists of two self-powered diesel "Budd" cars. Three of the cars were purchased by the state of Oregon from a British Columbia railroad for about $450,000. Backers of the train hope to buy a fourth car before this summer to increase its capacity.

While traveling on the train's 91-mile route, food and drinks are available. Organizers plan to have experts from Fort Clatsop National Memorial discuss Lewis and Clark's winter on the North Coast as the train heads for Astoria.

The schedule has not been finalized, but it should begin in Portland around 8 a.m. and leave Astoria around 5:45 p.m., ending in Portland around 8:45 p.m.

Ticket prices for 2005 have not been set, but a one-way fare in 2004 was $29 and $58 for a round trip, with discounts for seniors and children 2 to 15 years old.

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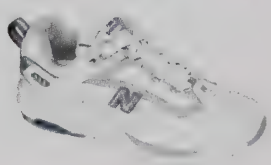

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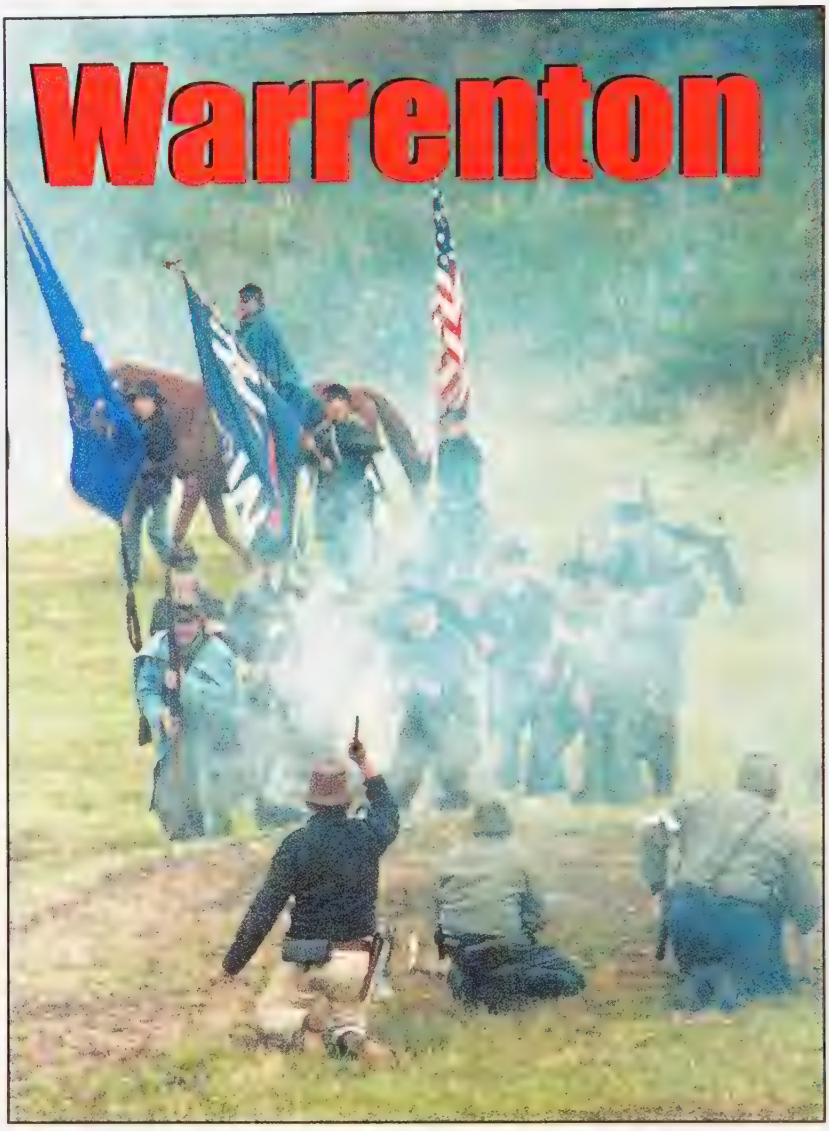

Civil War re-enactors fight battles at Fort Stevens State Park in Warrenton.

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At Fort Clatsop National Memorial see a replica of the fort built by the Lewis and Clark expedition when the explorers camped there in the winter of 1805-06.

Fort Stevens

Fort Stevens State Park possesses fascinating military history. One hundred forty-three years ago, Union soldiers stood watch over the mouth of the Columbia River from Fort Stevens. Eighty years later, on the night of June 21, 1942, Fort Stevens gained distinction as the only military installation in the continental United States to have been fired on since the War of 1812. A Japanese submarine roaming

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Hike or bike on one of the park's numerous trails through groves of trees and miles of sand dunes.

Don't miss the Peter Iredale shipwreck, the skeleton of a British bark that ran aground in 1906.

Fort Clatsop

Fort Clatsop National Memorial is one of the North Coast's most popular historic attractions. Nearly 200,000 people visit each year, and no wonder. It's an outdoor museum that makes history fun.

Built by the Lewis and Clark Expedition during the winter of 1805-1806, Fort Clatsop was the first U.S. military post west of the Rocky Mountains and the first habitation built by Americans along the Pacific Coast.

The fort replica provides living history demonstrations throughout the summer, in which park rangers dress in buckskins, to show what life might have been like for those early explorers.

There are exhibits with several Lewis and Clark-era artifacts inside the memorial. Outside there is a picnic area and hiking trails.

Fishermen's Memorial Lighthouse Park

At the main intersection in downtown Warrenton is Lighthouse Park. This park stands in memorial to the men and women who worked in the fishing industry. A huge rusty anchor used in the 1860s, netted by a fisherman 12 miles off Tillamook Head, and a mid-20th century mounted harpoon gun, complement the little lighthouse. The gun was rescued from the scrap heap of a local business. The interpretive center houses artifacts, photos and artwork chronicling decades of fishing off the mouth of the Columbia River. For more information, call (503) 861-7225.

LORI ASSA

Re-enactors enjoy an old-style smoke at Fort Clatsop.

Warrenton Waterfront Trail

Walk at a leisurely pace along the four-mile trail for the chance to see the Columbia River Estuary and many of the town's chief industries. Try to spot some of the wildlife that call the region home. This flat trail can be reached at various points along Warrenton's waterfront.

Pick up a pamphlet, with a map of the trail, at the Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce Visitor

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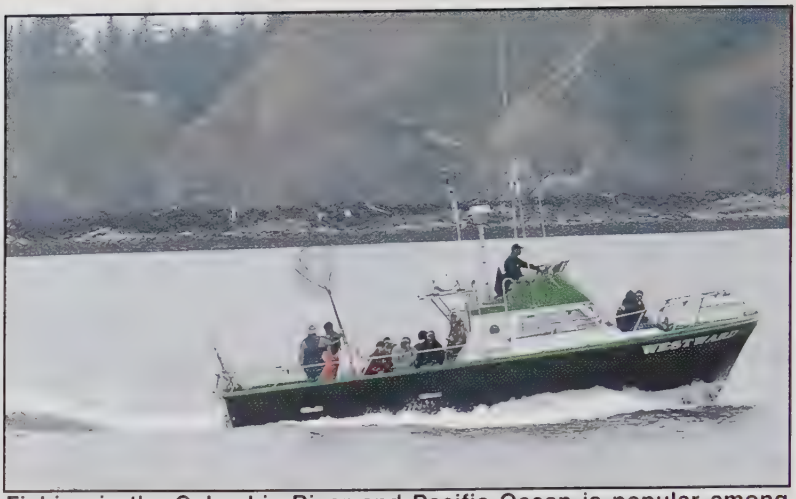
Center, located in the parking lot of Youngs Bay Plaza, along U.S. Highway 101.

Cullaby Lake

Looking for the choice location to water ski on the North Coast? Go to Cullaby Lake. Beginning kayakers, canoers and sail boarders, don't despair. The lake is also a good site for you. You'll also find picnic, volleyball, fishing, hiking and horseshoes facilities, plus a boat dock at the lake. Gear and accessories are available from rental shops in Warrenton and Astoria. To get to Cullaby Lake, head south on U.S. Highway 101 toward Seaside. Just past Warrenton, signs mark the Cullaby Lake turnoff on the left side of the road.



Fishing in the Columbia River and Pacific Ocean is popular among locals and visitors.

Youngs River Falls

Follow Lewis and Clark's footsteps on the trail to the 65-foot waterfall. Once there, relax and enjoy a picnic. The trail to the waterfall has been improved with the addition of steps.

Interpretive panels at the site tell the story of the Corps of Discovery.

To visit Youngs River Falls, travel east on Oregon Highway 202 to Olney and turn right at the sign directing you to the nearby waterfall.

EVENTS

Crab and Seafood

Warrenton has an annual Crab Feed in January and is a co-sponsor of the Astoria-Warrenton Crab and Seafood Festival held April 22-24 this year at the Clatsop County Fairgrounds.

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Calendar of events

A listing of events scheduled to occur in the Columbia-Pacific region

JANUARY

Daily – Buddy Month at KOA, Warrenton KOA Campground
Daily – Whale Watching on the Oregon and Washington Coasts
Jan.-Feb. – TBA, Irish Dance & Music, Clatsop Community College's Performing Arts Center, Astoria
1 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
1-2 – Fort Clatsop Winter Programs, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
6 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
9 – Clatsop County Historical Society annual Meeting and Luncheon, Heritage Museum, Astoria
11 – Clatsop Community College's Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
13 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
13 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
14 – Northwest Winemakers Dinner Series, Shoalwater Inn, Seaview, Wash.
14-15 – Annual Crab Feed, Warrenton Community Center
14-17 – Windless Kite Festival, World Kite Museum, Long Beach, Wash.
15 – 4H Super Saturday, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
15-16 – QCED Barbershop Cabaret, Seaside Convention Center
16 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
18 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
20 – "Remember When" Old Timer Talks, Heritage Museum, Astoria
20 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
22 – Fashion Show – A River Theater Benefit, River Theater, Astoria
22 – Wine tasting – Patricia Green, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
25 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
27 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
28-30 – Midwinter Mystery – Northwest mystery writers, Cannon Beach
29 – Con Amici – six piece string ensemble plays classical chamber music, River Theater, Astoria
29 – Wines of Germany, Winemakers Dinner, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria

FEBRUARY

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3 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
3 – Clatsop Co. Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
5 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
5 – Kim Angelis Workshop, 11 a.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
5 – Palm Wine Boys: West African Acoustic Folk Music, 8 p.m., River Theater, Astoria
5 – Winemakers Dinner – Mia Sonatina, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
6 – "Knowledge of those people important...," Fort Clatsop Institute, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
6 – Kim Angelis Concert, 3 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
8 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
10 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
11-12 – Third Annual Dinner Theater, "I Oughta Be in Pictures," by Neil Simon. Dinner at 7 p.m., show at 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria

11-13 – Valentine's Day Weekend at KOA – Romantic Getaway, Warrenton KOA
11-13 – Valentine's Dinner Theater: "Friends?" & "Snippets," A comedy of chance meetings, River Theater, Astoria
11-14 – Old Fashioned Valentine's Day Weekend, Long Beach Peninsula
12 – Wine tasting – Elvengalde, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
13 – North Coast Symphonic Band, "Pops," 3 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
14 – Valentine's Day '50s Dance, Cannon Beach Chamber Community Hall
15 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
17 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
17-19 – "The Sweet Scent of Apples," a one-act play by Tim Hurd, a full evening VOCA benefit, River Theater, Astoria
18-20 – Third annual Dinner Theater, "I Oughta Be in Pictures," by Neil Simon. Dinner at 7 p.m., show at 8 p.m. Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
18-20 – Home & Garden Show, Seaside Convention Center
19 – Hayshaker Square Dance, amateur caller/cuer, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
19 – Slieveloughane Dance Company (Irish Dance and Music) Workshop 4 p.m., performance 7 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
19 – Winemakers' Dinner – Penfolds, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
20 – "In Their Footsteps" Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
22 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
24 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
25 – Winemakers' Dinner Series – St. Michelle Winery, Shoalwater Inn, Long Beach
25-26 – Third annual Dinner Theater, "I Ought to be in Pictures," by Neil Simon. Dinner at 7 p.m., show at 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria

Things get fishy in Astoria.

25-27 – Fisher Poets Gathering, Wet Dog Café and other venues, Astoria
25-27 – Oregon Dixieland Jubilee, Seaside Convention Center
26 – Wine tasting – Zerba Cellars/Amity Vineyards, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria

MARCH

Daily – Whale Watching on the Oregon and Washington coasts
Daily – Clatsop County Historical Society Membership Drive Month, Astoria
1 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival 7 p.m., Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
3 – CCC Rainy Day Film Festival, 7 p.m., Columbian Theater, Astoria
3 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
4-6 – Third annual Dinner Theater, "I Oughta Be in Pictures," by Neil Simon. Dinner at 7 p.m., show at 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria

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CALENDAR

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5 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
5 – Sunrise Rotary Auction. Dinner at 6 p.m., auction at 7:30 p.m., TBA
5 – Winemakers Dinner – Willakenzie, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
11-12 – "The Mystery of Marie Roget" by Mick Alderman, of Astoria, based on a story by Edgar Allen Poe, River Theater, Astoria
7 – "Her Story," TBA, Clatsop Community College event
11-13 – Third annual St. Patrick's Day Mudd Paddy Pardy, Warrenton KOA
12 – Wine tasting – Charles Krug, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
12 – 13th Annual Astoria Swap Meet – Lower Columbia Classics, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
14 – Regatta Bingo, Elks Hall, Astoria
17-19 – "The Mystery of Marie Roget," by Mick Alderman, of Astoria, based on a story by Edgar Allen Poe, River Theater, Astoria
17-19 – Seventh Annual St. Urho's & St. Patrick's "Shanghaied in Astoria," 7:30 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
18 – Winemakers Dinner Series – Gordon Brothers Winery, Shoalwater Inn, Long Beach, Wash.
18-20 – Peninsula Quilt Guild Show, Ilwaco, Wash.
19 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
19-26 – Whale Watching Spoken Here, Oregon Coast
20 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
25-26 – Miss Clatsop County Pageant Seaside Convention Center
25-27 – "The Mystery of Marie Roget," by Mick Alderman, based on a story by Edgar Allen Poe, River Theater, Astoria
25-27 – 10th annual Easter Eggstravaganza, Warrenton KOA
26 – Clatsop County Historical Society "Members Only – Behind the Scenes Tour," Flavel House and Heritage Museums, Astoria
26 – Easter Egg Hunt and activities, 11 a.m., Tapiola Park, Astoria
26 – Great Oregon Beach Cleanup (SOLV), Oregon Coast

APRIL

April-May TBA – Fourth annual Holocaust Survivor Speaker Series, Performing Arts Center & Astoria High School, Astoria
TBA – Owen Rye/ Ceramics, Performing Arts Center, Astoria
1 – Highwater Festival of Fools, seventh annual River Theater fund-raiser: Kaleidoscopic sampler of what the theater does on a full scale year-round, River Theater, Astoria
1-3 – Bluegrass Festival, Long Beach, Wash.
2 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
3 – North Coast Symphonic Band, "Pops," 3 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
7 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria

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8-10 – Mardi Gras KOA Style, Warrenton KOA
8-9 – 23rd annual Young Choreographer's Showcase, Performing Arts Center, Astoria
9 – Winemakers Dinner – David Hill, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
10 – Lewis and Clark Expedition & Scientific Discovery "Other objects worthy of notice," Fort Clatsop, Astoria
15-17 – ACBL Tournament (bridge league), Seaside Convention Center
16 – 18th annual Cannon Beach Chamber Auction, Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce
16 – 4H: Spring Dog Show, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
16 – Gearhart Historic Homes Tour, Gearhart
16 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
17 – "In Their Footsteps" Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
19 – 4H: Small Animal Field Day, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
21 – "Remember When," Old Timer Talks, Heritage Museum, Astoria
21-23 – The Astor Street Revue – a new original, vaudeville style show, 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
22 – Winemakers Dinner Series – Forgeron Winery, Shoalwater Inn, Seaview, Wash.
22-24 – Astoria Warrenton Crab and Seafood Festival, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
23 – '50s Cruise Reunion – Lower Columbia Classics, Camp Rilea, Warrenton
23 – Winemakers Dinner – Abacela, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
27 – Clatsop County Historical Society Volunteer Appreciation Day, Astoria
28-May 1 – The Astor Street Revue – a new original, vaudeville style show, 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
29 – May 1 – Spring Art Unveiling, Cannon Beach
30 – Wine tasting – Oak Knoll 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
30 – 18th Annual Puffin Kite Festival, Surfsand Resort, Cannon Beach

Crab and Seafood Festival

30 – 4H: Livestock Field Day, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
30 – Black Lake Fishing Derby, Black Lake, Ilwaco, Wash.
30-May 1 – Fourth annual Willapa Bay Seafood Fest, mooring basin, Nahcotta, Wash.

MAY

April-May TBA – Fourth annual Holocaust Survivor Speaker Series, Performing Arts Center, Astoria
Sundays May 8-Oct. 2 – Astoria Sunday Market, downtown, Astoria
Saturdays May-Sept – Saturday Market, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
1 – Spring Art Unveiling, Cannon Beach
1 – The Astor Street Revue – a new original, vaudeville style show, 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria

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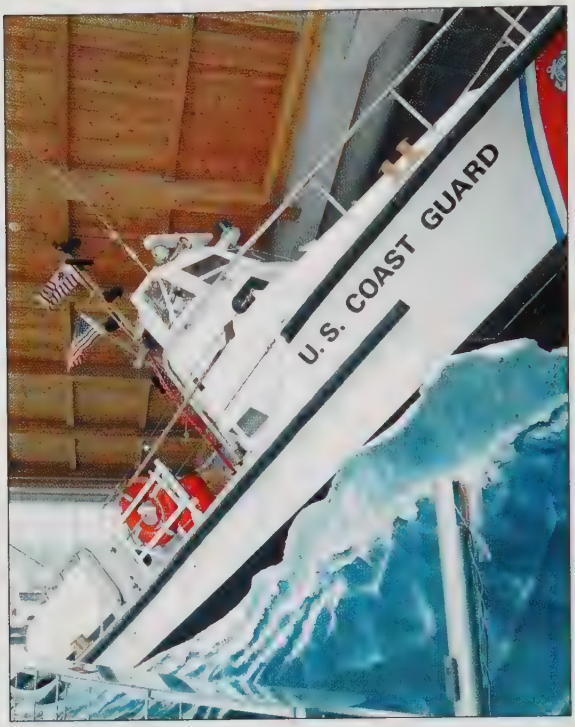

Columbia River Maritime Museum

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1 – 55th Annual Loyalty Day Parade, Long Beach and Ilwaco, Wash.
5 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
5-8 – The Astor Street Revue – a new original, vaudeville style show, 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
6-8 – Cinco De Mayo Party, Warrenton KOA
7 – "Blessing of the Fleet," Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
7 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101

7 – Mother's Day Tea & Scones, Flavel House Museum, Astoria
7 – Tap Festival, 8 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
7 – Wine tasting – Willakenzie, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
8 – Mother's Day Dinner Theater: "Friends?" & "Snippets" A comedy of chance meetings. Seafood School, Astoria
8 – Mothers Day weekend at KOA, Warrenton KOA
13 – "Come camp with us Day" – free camping w/reservation (call for details), Warrenton KOA
13-14 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
13-14 – The Astor Street Revue – a new original, vaudeville style show, 8 p.m., Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
14 – "Barefoot in the Park," Dessert Reader's Theater, 7 p.m. (Scholarship event sponsored by Astoria AAUW), Astoria Presbyterian Church Annex.
14 – Surf Perch Derby, Long Beach, Wash.
14 – Winemakers' Dinner – Patricia Green, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
15 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
19-22 – Outdoor Sports Show, Seaside Convention Center
20 – Winemakers' Dinner Series – TBA, Shoalwater Inn, Seaview, Wash.
20-21 – 4H: Spring Horse Show, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
20-22 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
21 – "Remember When," Old Timer Talks, Heritage Museum, Astoria
21 – Armed Forces Day celebrated at Historic Area, Fort Stevens, Warrenton
21 – Hayshaker Square Dance – Beach Bum Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
21 – North Coast Symphonic Band – Guest Conductor Concert, Performing Arts Center, Astoria
21 – Winemakers Dinner – Barnard Griffin, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
26-28 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
27-29 – Flea Market, Seaside Convention Center
27-30 – Memorial Day Weekend – World's Longest Garage Sale, Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula
28-30 – Memorial Day activities in honor of Veterans of all American wars, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
TBA – 23rd Annual Young Choreographer's Showcase, Coaster Theatre, Cannon Beach
TBA – North Coast Choral Spring Concert, Performing Arts Center, Astoria

JUNE

Daily-August – Haystack Rock Awareness Program, Haystack Rock, Cannon Beach
Sundays – Astoria Sunday Market, downtown, Astoria
Sundays – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
Saturdays – Saturday Market, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
1 – Seaside High School Pacifica Projects, Seaside Convention Center
2 – Clatsop County Historical Society's Thursday Night Talks, 6 p.m., Performing Arts Center, Astoria
3-5 – "Goonies" 20th Anniversary Celebration, Astoria and surrounding area
4 – Hayshaker Square Dance – Mardi Gras Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
5 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
9-12 – National Corvette Restorers Society, Seaside Convention Center
10 – Winemakers' Dinner Series – Adea Winery, Shoalwater Inn, Seaview, Wash.
10-11 – Muscle Beach Cruz, downtown Seaside
11 – 41st Annual Sandcastle Day, Cannon Beach
11 – Arts Night Out – gallery walk, downtown Astoria
11 – Beach to Chowder Run & Walk, Long Beach, Wash.
11 – Wine tasting – Winters Hill, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
12 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
13 – Start of: Summer Living History Programs, Park Hours change to 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Explorer Shuttle service to Fort Clatsop begins
14 – Flag Day, Flag Retirement Ceremony, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
16-19 – SEA PAC HAM Radio, Seaside Convention Center
17-19 – Father's Day Classic Car & Truck Show, Warrenton KOA
17-19 – Scandinavian Midsummer Festival, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
18 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
18 – Southwest Washington Anglers Sturgeon Derby, Chinook, Wash.
18-19 – 23rd annual Garlic Festival, Ocean Park, Wash.
19 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash, River Theater, Astoria
19-22 – Hayshaker – Lewis and Clark Caravan Encampment, dance on 21st, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
21 – Battery-Russell-Pacific Rim Peace Memorial, anniversary of shelling of Fort Stevens, flag ceremony & cannon salute at noon, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton

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25 – Wine tasting – Mia Sonatina, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
25-26 – American Cancer Society Relay for Life – 24 hour relay, Seaside High School
25-26 – Northwest Stunt Kite Championships, Long Beach, Wash.
26 – "Simple Salmon Discovers Lewis and Clark," sketch comedy contest: Comedy troupe performs, audience votes, writers win cash! River Theater, Astoria
27-July 2 – Missoula Children's Theater, Liberty Theater, Astoria
TBA – Third Annual Crab Derby, Jetty Fisheries, Nehalem Bay
TBA – Grand Reopening of Liberty Theater, Liberty Theater, Astoria

JULY

Daily – Haystack Rock Awareness Program, Haystack Rock, Cannon Beach
Sundays – Astoria Sunday Market, downtown, Astoria
Saturdays – Saturday Market, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
1-2 – Missoula Children's Theater, Liberty Theater, Astoria
1-4 – Living History, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
2 – Fireworks at the Port, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
2 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
2-4 – Old Fashioned 4th of July Ocean Park, Wash.
3 – North Coast Symphonic Band, "Celebrate the 4th," 7 p.m. Performing Arts Center, Astoria
4 – "Day Scelebrated by my Country," Fort Clatsop, Astoria
4 – Fireworks over the river & day activities, near Maritime Museum, Astoria
4 – Fourth of July Parade, downtown Warrenton.
4 – Fifth annual "Flavor of Astoria," 4th of July Celebration, Baked Alaska, Astoria
4 – Fourth of July Parade, 11 a.m., downtown Cannon Beach
4 – North Coast Symphonic Band Concert in the Park, 2 to 4 p.m., Cannon Beach City Park
4 – Fireworks on the Beach, Long Beach, Wash.
4 – Fireworks on the Beach, Seaside
4 – Old Fashioned Social at Seaside Museum, parade at 11 a.m. downtown Seaside
6 – Seaman's Day, Fort Clatsop
7 (begins weekends) – "Shanghaied in Astoria," Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria, 21st season (Thurs-Sat, some Sunday matinees)
11-31 – Astoria Music Festival & Academy "Uncharted Territories: Exploring the Birth of a new Century," Liberty Theater and other venues, Astoria
15-16 – 21st Annual SandSations, Long Beach, Wash.
15-17 – AMF&A: Opening Night Weekend Gala, "From Sea to Shining Sea, "Liberty Theater, Astoria
15-17 – Salt Maker's Return, Avenue U and the beach, Seaside
15-17 – Sunkats Feline Fanciers Cat Show, Seaside Convention Center
16 – Hayshakers - Carnival Dance (casual attire), Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
16 – Wine tasting - Barnard Griffin, 1 to 4 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
16-17 – Railroad Days, Heritage Museum, Ilwaco, Wash.
16-17 – World War II Re-enactment – mock battles, skirmishes, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
17 – 39th Annual Seaside Beach Run/Walk & Kids Downtown Dash, downtown Seaside
20 – Hospice BBQ & Auction, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
21 – AMF&A: La Bella Serenata, Liberty Theater, Astoria
22-23 – AMF&A: Northwest Sinfonietta Concert, Liberty Theater, Astoria
22-24 – Collectors West Gun & Knife Show, Seaside Convention Center
22-24 – Hawaiian Luau Party, Warrenton KOA
23 – Winemakers Dinner – Amity Vineyards, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
24-30 – SixPac Race, Columbia River, Astoria
25 – Christmas Day 1805, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
27-Aug. 3 – Dance Magic, Seaside Convention Center
28-31 – Mozart's "Don Giovanni," Liberty Theater, Astoria
29-30 – "Cabaret" the musical, River Theater, Astoria
30-31 – 60th NPRA Sanctioned Rodeo, Long Beach, Wash.

AUGUST

Sundays – Astoria Sunday Market, downtown, Astoria
Saturdays – Saturday Market, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
Daily – Haystack Rock Awareness Program, Haystack Rock, Cannon Beach
Weekends – "Shanghaied in Astoria," 21st Season (Thurs.-Sat., some Sunday matinees)," Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
Through Aug. 3 – Dance Magic, Seaside Convention Center
2-6 – Clatsop County Fair, County Fairgrounds, Astoria
4-7 – "Cabaret" the musical, River Theater, Astoria
6 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101

CALENDAR

Hood to Coast Relay

6-7 – Block Party, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
10-14 – Astoria Regatta Celebration, various venues, Astoria
11-14 – "Cabaret" the musical, River Theater, Astoria
11-14 – Astoria Regatta Coronation and Evening events, Liberty Theater, Astoria
12 – Astoria Regatta Rose Planting Ceremony, Flavel House, Astoria
12-14 – Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Show, Seaside Convention Center
12-14 – Seaside Beach Volleyball Tournament, Seaside beaches
13 – Astoria Regatta Cruise In – Lower Columbia Classics, downtown Astoria
14 – Astoria Regatta – Historic Homes Tour, Astoria
14 – Jazz & Oysters, Oysterville, Wash.
15-21 – 24th annual Washington State International Kite Festival, Long Beach, Wash.
18-21 – "Cabaret" the musical, River Theater, Astoria
19-20 – Antiques & Collectibles Show, Seaside Convention Center
19-21 – Ninth annual Kids Extravaganza, Warrenton KOA
19-21 – Salt Maker's Return, Avenue U and the beach, Seaside
20 – Hayshakers – Beach Bingo Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
20-21 – Flower Show, (Sat. 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Sun. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.), Bob Chisolm Community Center, Seaside
25 – National Park Service Founders Day, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
25-29 – "Cabaret" the musical, River Theater, Astoria
26-27 – Hood to Coast Relay Race, beach finish, Seaside

SEPTEMBER

Sundays – Astoria Sunday Market, downtown, Astoria
Saturdays through September – Saturday Market, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.
Daily to Labor Day – Haystack Rock Awareness Program, Haystack Rock, Cannon Beach
Weekends to Sept. 8. – "Shanghaied in Astoria," 21st Season (Thurs. - Sat., some Sunday matinees, Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
2-5 – Peninsula Arts Association Art Show, Ocean Park, Wash.
3 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
3-5 – Civil War Re-enactment, Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
5 – Last Day of Summer Living History Programs and Explorer Shuttle service, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
6 – Park hours change to 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fort Clatsop, Astoria
9 – Slow Drag at the Port, Ilwaco, Wash.
9-11 – Rod Run to the End of the World, Ocean Park, Wash.
9-11 – Seaside Hot Rod Happening, downtown Seaside
10-11 – Lewis and Clark Kite Expo, downtown Seaside
10-11 – Victorian Fun & Games, Flavel House Museum, Astoria
15-17 – Seventh annual Blues by the Sea Festival, Warrenton KOA Campground
17 – Baker Bay Kayak & Canoe Race, Port of Ilwaco, Wash.

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17 – Great Oregon Beach Cleanup (SOLV), 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Oregon Coast
17 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
17 – National Public Lands Day, free admission, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
17 – Winemakers' Dinner – Winters Hill, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
17-23 – Constitution Week, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
18 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series, TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
20 – "Remember When," Old Timer Talks, 10 a.m., Heritage Museum, Astoria
23-24 – Pacific Northwest Brew Cup – Oktoberfest 2005. Live music, street dance, food, many Northwest breweries present, 12th to Commercial and Duane streets, downtown Astoria
TBA – Brownsmead Corn Feed, Brownsmead Grange
TBA – Buoy 10 Brewfest, TBA
TBA – Air Fair and Coast Guard Open House, Astoria Regional Airport, Warrenton

OCTOBER

1 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
1 – Arts Night Out – Gallery Walk, downtown Astoria
1-2 – Orchid Society Ninth annual Fall Show & Plant Sale, Broadway School, Seaside
2 – Great Columbia Crossing – 10KRun/Walk, (registration required), Astoria Bridge
2 – Astoria Sunday Market – last one of the season! Downtown Astoria
7-9 – 84th annual Cranberrian Fair, Ilwaco, Wash.
8 – Winemakers Dinner – Zerba Cellars, 6 p.m., Cellar on 10th, Astoria
8-9 – One Sky, One World Kite Carnival, Long Beach, Wash.
15 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
15-Nov. 15 – Wild Mushroom Festival Month, Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula
16 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop
20-23 – Water Music Festival XX, Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula
28-29 – Seaside Sashay, Seaside Convention Center
28-31 – Halloween Party Weekend, Warrenton KOA Campground
30 – Talking Tombstones (Clatsop County Historical Society event), 3 p.m. until dusk, Astoria
31 – Monster Bash, Clatsop County Fairgrounds, Astoria

NOVEMBER

1-15 – Wild Mushroom Festival Month, Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula
4-6 – Stormy Weather Arts Festival, Cannon Beach
5 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
7-15 – Destination: The Pacific: Corps of Discovery II: 200 Years to the Future, Long Beach, Wash.
11-13 – Destination: The Pacific: Opening Ceremony 10 a.m., Fort Stevens Historic Area, Warrenton
11-13 – Destination: The Pacific: Festival of the Pacific: Lewis and Clark Remembered, Clatsop County Fairgrounds, Astoria
11-15 – Destination: The Pacific, various venues, Astoria, Ilwaco, Wash.
11-27 – Journeys End National Art Exhibit "...the country through which you shall pass...," Heritage Museum Astoria (Nov. 11-27) Holiday Inn (Nov. 11-14),
15 – Destination: The Pacific: Dedication of Station Camp and the new national park, 1 to 4 p.m., Station Camp, Wash.
19 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway 101
19 – Plum Pudding Cooking Demonstration, 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., Flavel House Museum Visitor's Center, Astoria
20 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: TBA, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
24 – Destination: The Pacific: The Vote at Station Camp, Station Camp, Wash.
24 – Tree Lighting Ceremony and Santa Arrives, Long Beach, Wash.
25 – Festival of Lights – Santa Lucia (Scandinavian Festival), 7 p.m., Astoria High School
25-27 – Holiday Gift Fair, Parade of Lights and Caroling, Seaside Convention Center
TBA – Harvest Bazaar, Star of the Sea School, Astoria

LORI ASSA

Plum pudding is served at the Flavel House museum during December.

DECEMBER

2-3 – Annual Holiday Dinner, 6 p.m. Clatsop County Historical Society, Astoria
2-4 – 10th Annual Starving Artist Art Faire, Astoria Eagles Lodge
3 – Hayshaker Square Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Hwy 101
3-4 – "Nutcracker" Ballet (Maddox Dance Studio), Astoria High School
7-11 – "Most eligible situation," 1 p.m., Fort Clatsop
9-11 – Fifth Annual Holiday Music Magic, Old Finnish Meat Market, Astoria
10 – Sixth Annual Holiday Sale – Scandinavian goodies and crafts, fresh holly, First Lutheran Church, Astoria
10 – Providence Seaside Hospital's Festival of the Trees, Seaside Convention Center
10-11 – Bed & Breakfast Holiday Open House, Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula
14-23 – Plum Pudding 2 to 4 p.m. daily, Flavel House Museum, Astoria
17 – Drop and Shop, Fort Clatsop
17 – Explore Fort Clatsop – Fort Clatsop Institute, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
17 – Hayshakers – Christmas Dance, Pacific Grange, Cullaby Lake/Highway101
17 – Victorian Christmas with John Doan in concert, 7 p.m., Liberty Theater, Astoria
18 – In Their Footsteps Lecture Series: Junius Rochester, "Thomas Jefferson: Visionary or Imperialist?" Fort Clatsop
25 – Christmas Day 1805 Open House, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
25-27 – Wintering Over, Fort Clatsop
26-30 – Plum Pudding, 2 to 4 p.m. daily, Flavel House Museum, Astoria
26-Jan. 2 – Whale Watching on the Oregon & Washington Coasts (SOLV)

28-31 – Living History Ranger Programs, Fort Clatsop, Astoria
31 – Fireworks at Midnight, Long Beach, Wash.
TBA – Water Music Festival Tuba Christmas, Seaview, Wash.

Phone numbers and Web sites for North Coast community events listed in the calendar.

- Airfare: (503) 861-1222
- Arts and Ideas, Clatsop Community College: (503) 338-2473; www.clatsopcc.edu/arts&ideas
- Astoria Music Festival and Academy: (503) 407-6570, (503) 338-5545, www.astoriamusicfestival.com
- Astoria-Warrenton KOA campground: (800) 562-8506; www.astoriakoa.com
- Astoria Regatta: (503) 440-4613; www.astoriaregatta.org
- Astoria Sunday Market: (503) 325-1010; www.astoriasundaymarket.org
- Astoria-Warrenton events: (800) 875-6807; www.oldoregon.com
- Buoy 10 Brewfest: (800) 875-6807
- Cannon Beach events: (503) 436-2623; www.cannonbeach.org
- Cellar on 10th, (503) 325-660; www.thecellaron10th.com
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- Clatsop County Historical Society: (503) 325-2203; www.clatsophistoricalsociety.org
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- Coaster Theatre: (503) 436-1242; www.coastertheatre.com
- Destination the Pacific: (503) 861-4403; www.destinationthepacific.com
- Fisher Poets Gathering: www.clatsopcc.edu/fisherpoets/
- Fort Clatsop: (503) 861-2471; www.nps.gov/focl/
- Fort Stevens State Park: (503) 861-1470; www.visitfortstevens.com
- Great Columbia Crossing: (800) 875-6807; www.greatcolumbiacrossing.com
- Hayshaker Square Dance: (503) 861-1772, (503) 861-2726
- Haystack Rock Awareness Program: (503) 436-2623; www.hrap.org
- Ilwaco Saturday Market: (360) 642-2690; www.funbeach.com
- Liberty Theater, Astoria: (503) 325-5922; www.liberty-theater.org
- Long Beach Peninsula information: (800) 451-2542; www.funbeach.com
- Pacific NW Brew Cup: (503) 791-1988
- River Theater, Astoria: (503) 325-7487; www.rivertheater.com
- Scandinavian Midsummer Festival: (800) 875-6807; www.astoriascanfest.com
- Seaside Chowder Festival: (503) 717-1914; www.seasidedowntown.com
- Seaside Convention Center: (503) 738-8585; www.seasideconvention.com
- Seaside events: (800) 444-6740; www.seasidechamber.com
- "Shanghaied in Astoria": (503) 325-6104; www.shanghaiedinastoria.com
- Shoalwater Inn: (360) 642-4142; www.shoalwater.com
- SOLV: (800) 333-SOLV; www.solv.org
- Washington State International Kite Festival: 360-642-8988; men@pacifier.com
- Whale watching: (541) 563-2002; www.whalespoken.org
- World Kite Museum: (360) 642-4020; www.worldkitemuseum.com

Chambers of Commerce

For more information about festivals and other special events, contact:

- The Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce, 111 W. Marine Drive, Astoria, OR 97103, (503) 325-6311 or (800) 875-6807. Also try www.oldoregon.com
- Seaside Chamber of Commerce, 7 N. Roosevelt, Seaside, OR 97138, (503) 738-6391 or (800) 444-6740. Also try www.clatsop.com/seaside
- Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce, Second and Spruce, Cannon Beach, OR 97110, (503) 436-2623. Also try www.cannonbeach.org
- Garibaldi Chamber of Commerce, 202 Garibaldi Ave., Garibaldi, OR 97118, (503) 322-0301. Also try www.garibaldioregon.com
- Rockaway Beach Chamber of Commerce, 103 First St., Rockaway, OR 97136, (503) 355-8108. Also try www.rockawaybeach.net
- Nehalem Bay Area Chamber of Commerce, 13015 U.S. Highway 101, (503) 368-5100. Also try www.ohwy.com/or/n/nehalem.htm
- Tillamook Chamber of Commerce, 3705 U.S. Highway 101 N., Tillamook, OR 97141, (503) 842-7525. Also try www.tillamookchamber.org
- Pacific City Chamber of Commerce, 35215 Brooten Road, Pacific City, OR 97135, (503) 965-6161. Also try www.pacificcity.net
- Long Beach Peninsula Visitor's Bureau, P.O. Box 562, Long Beach, WA 98631, (360) 642-2400 or (800) 451-2542. Also try www.funbeach.com
- Ocean Park Area Chamber of Commerce, (360) 665-4448 or (800) 451-2542. Also try www.willapa bay.org /~opchamber
- Cathlamet, Skamokawa and Grays River, (360) 795-3996.
- South Bend (Wash.) Chamber of Commerce, (360) 875-5231. Also try www.pacificpud.org/~sobendcc/
- Willapa Bay Chamber of Commerce, www.visit.willapabay.org/
- Longview/Kelso Washington Chamber of Commerce, 105 Minor Rd,. Kelso, WA 98626, (360) 577-8058 or 1563 Olympia Way, Longview, WA 98632 (360) 423-8400. Also try www.RiverCitiesChamber.com
- Lincoln City Chamber of Commerce, 4039 N.W. Logan Rd., Lincoln City, OR 97367, (541) 994-3070. Also try www.lcchamber.com
- Oregon State Tourism, www.travel oregon.com
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Gearhart

Historic buildings, golf course score a hole in one

Gearhart is situated on dunes beside the Pacific Ocean, 14 miles south of Astoria. The Necanicum River Estuary divides it from Seaside to the south. Its quiet residential streets are lined with grand old vacation houses, many redolent of East Coast beach communities. Old homes in the center of town wear cedar shingles, weathered to a stately gray by years of storms. Gearhart is a mix of permanent and summer residents.

There are several wonderful stores on its main street where you can pick up artwork, greeting cards and other small gifts.

Golf in Gearhart

Gearhart Golf Links goes back a long time. Legend has it that Gearhart Golf Links began in about 1888, starting out as two or three holes of true links golf among the seaside meadows that characterize the North Oregon Coast. Gearhart was officially opened as a nine-hole course in 1901, and from 1913 to 1915 grew to 18 holes and began a long heritage as one of the state's premiere golf venues.

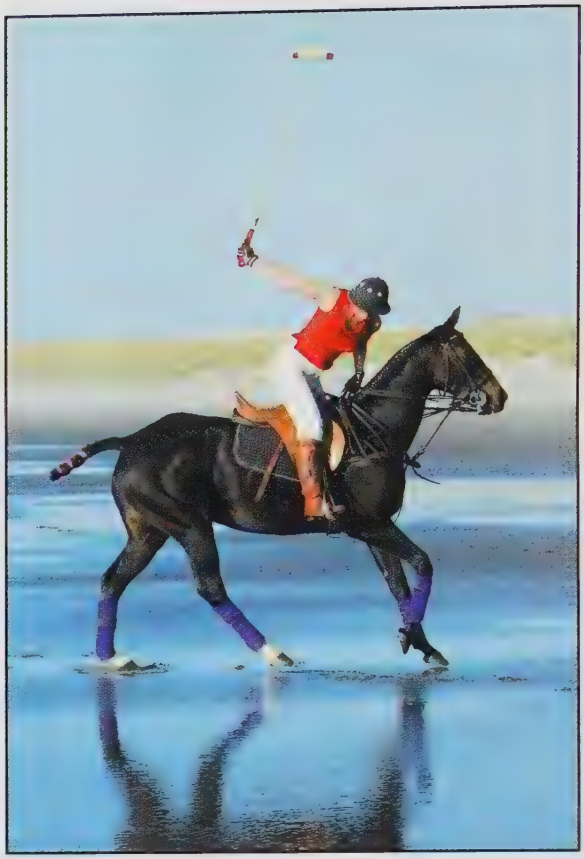
A 2000 redesign incorporated styles Scottish links courses would have, such as pot-style bunkers, mounding and beach grass. Seventeen-thousand beach plants were imported to stabilize the dune areas.

A links course is a golf course built on sand left by the sea, and is affected by the wind and rain and natural forces.

Gearthart Golf Links is located on North Marion Avenue in Gearhart. The course is 6,218 yards with a par 72. For more information, call (503) 738-3538.

Historic buildings

Rare or unique buildings abound in Gearhart and have been recorded with the state using an intensive inventory.



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Gearhart is a great place to practice polo on the beach.

• The livery stable on Pacific Way was likely one of the first structures built in the city in 1910. Stables of such age are extremely rare, as they usually disappeared when cars replaced horses, but Gearhart's remained and was used for James Nicol's riding academy until 1960.

• Gearhart's former railroad station stands behind the Dairy Queen at the intersection of Pacific Way and U.S. Highway 101. Beside the store is the historic home of William Badger – the first black elected official in Oregon, a member of the Gearhart City Council in the 1920s.

• Cynthia Anderson Antiques at 567 Pacific Way was a sweet shop and home to the Poppino family of Gearhart. Pop's Sweet Shop opened to honor the Poppino family.

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Try your swing on these courses

• Seaside Golf Course: 9-hole, 2,610 yards, par 35. Located on Avenue U, in Seaside. (503) 738-5261.

• The Manzanita Golf Course: 9-hole, 2,200 yards, par 32. Driving range available summer months only. Located off U.S. Highway 101, south of downtown Manzanita. (503) 368-5744.

• The Alderbrook Golf Course: 18-hole, 5,692 yards, par 69. Located off U.S. Highway 101, four miles north of Tillamook on Alderbrook. (503) 842-6413.

• Peninsula Golf Course: 9-hole, 2,148 yards, par 33. The course is one mile north of Long Beach, Wash., alongside U.S. Highway 103. (360) 642-2828.

• The Surfside Golf & Country Club: 9-hole, 2,960 yards, par 36. Driving range. Located in Ocean Park at the northernmost end of the Long Beach (Wash.) Peninsula. (360) 665-4148.

• The Astoria Golf & Country Club: Private 18-hole course, 6,488 yards, par 72 and a driving range. Located off U.S. Highway 101, five miles south of Warrenton. Open only to members, reciprocal clubs or guests. (503) 861-2545.

• Gearhart Golf Links: a public, 18-hole course located on North Marion Avenue in Gearhart, the course is 6,218 yards with a par 72. (503) 738-3538.

• Highlands Golf Course: a 9-hole course of 1,740 yards, par 30. Located off U.S. Highway 101 on Del Rey Beach Road, 33377 Highlands Lane. (503) 738-5248.

Call before you go clamming

Those people stomping the wet sand at the ocean's edge aren't performing just any primal ritual: they're stalking the wily razor clam. Clamming is easy with the right attitude and equipment.

When hunting for clams you must keep the first clams you dig, regardless of size or condition. You cannot throw clams away or stick them back in the sand without risking a serious fine from enforcement officers.

Areas open to clam digging will be announced. It is illegal to dig razor clams on closed beaches or in clam reserves. In Oregon and Washington, you need a shellfish license, available at local stores.

Before you clam in Oregon, call (503) 986-4728. In Washington, call (800) 562-5632.

LORI ASSA

Whale watching on the coast is a family affair.

I spy a whale

Watch the spring migration of gray whales, which will peak the week of March 22 through March 29 and again in late December and early January. Look for the "Whale Watching Spoken Here" signs that designate good whale-viewing sites, usually staffed with volunteers who can offer information. Whale Watching sites include:

• Ecola State Park, north of Cannon Beach
• Neahkanie Mountain, near Manzanita
• Fort Stevens State Park, in Warrenton
• Lighthouse Point, near Ilwaco, Wash.

Whale-Watching Tips

• Scan the horizon and look for the blow – vapor, water or condensation blown into the air up to 12 feet when the whale exhales.

• Once you see a blow, stay with it. Where you see one blow, you will see more, either from other whales or the same whale.

• Once you have seen what you are looking for, additional sightings are much easier, and you will observe more details of whale behavior.

• Often, whales leave turbulent eddies along the surface after short dives. You can track their path and set up a camera or spotting scope to anticipate the next blow.

• Usually only a small portion of the whale's head and back show during a blow.

• If tail flukes are raised high, the whale is sounding and the dive will usually be a deep one. In shallow water, the whale may keep the flukes aloft for several minutes while head-standing.

• Breaching is a real treat for whale-watchers. When breaching, whales rise head-first out of the water, as much as half or three-quarters of their length. Then they fall back or to the side with a big splash. Experts think whales do this to knock off an external parasite called whale lice, to communicate, court or just to have fun.

• Sky-hopping is the term used to describe a whale poking its head partially out of the water, just enough to raise an eye over the surface. Experts think whales do this to see better and to locate the direction of sounds.

Seaside

LORI ASSA

Kites fly on the beach high above a statue of Lewis and Clark at the Turnaround in Seaside.

HIT THE BEACH FOR ACTION-PACKED TIMES

Life at the beach doesn't get much better than Seaside. The oceanside getaway stretches between the ruggedly majestic Tillamook Head and the mouths of the meandering Necanicum River and Neawanna Creek, a grand beach and fun-loving town.

Lining the Pacific Ocean is the Prom, a two-mile walkway built in the 1920s. Beach-goers and frolicsome families have gravitated to Seaside for generations, sauntering along Broadway and other streets amid the scent of salt water taffy to sample the shops, restaurants and recreation.

Lewis and Clark Salt Works

The Salt Works in Seaside marks the site where the Lewis and Clark expedition set up a camp and boiled sea water to obtain salt for use at the fort and on the return journey to St. Louis.

The salt cairn display is located near the Prom at Lewis and Clark Way, south of the Turnaround.

The salt works in Seaside was crucial to the early explorers, who used salt to cure meat. Altogether, members of the expedition ate about 10 pounds of meat per day – equal to dining on 40 quarter-pound hamburgers!

Seaside Museum

Exhibits reflect the attitude of the Seaside Museum and Historical Society's theme: "Seaside has long been a place to live, work and play."

View a large collection of photographs portraying the town's history in the making. Especially fascinating are the changing scenes (and names) of Broadway. Beautiful hotels, an indoor ocean water pool and businesses have come and gone along the street. Even earlier pictures depict the road as not much more than a dirt path with a few houses and campsites along its sides.

Adjacent to the museum building is the Butterfield House, constructed in 1893. It has been interpretively restored to depict a beach cottage and rooming house of 1912.

The museum, 570 Necanicum Drive, (503) 738-7065, is open in winter from noon to 3 p.m. daily and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in summer. Admission is $2 for adults, $1.50 for seniors, $1 for students and free for children younger than 13.

Seaside Aquarium

The Seaside Aquarium, located at the end of Second Avenue and North Promenade (about two blocks north of the Seaside Turnaround), is a landmark in this seaside town. Built in the 1920s, the structure housing the aquarium was used as a large saltwater swimming pool and converted to an aquarium in 1937.

Visitors enjoy the "Discovery Center" with its hands-on open tank that allows them to touch starfish and anemones.

The Seaside Aquarium is the first in the world to successfully breed harbor seals – and a favorite attraction for

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Members of the Red Hat Society ride the Seaside Streetcar during a parade.

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Sea lions sun themselves year-round in North Coast waters

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the younger set is the seal-feeding tank. The seals have developed different calls and behavior to convince you to throw a morsel their way. Admission is charged. For more information, call (503) 738-6211.

Sunset Pool

The Sunset Empire Park and Recreation District, 1140 E. Broadway, offers residents and visitors alike myriad opportunities to stretch the mind and body.

The district includes the Sunset Pool, an indoor, heated swimming pool with a play slide. Family and open swims are offered throughout the week.

The district also programs a variety of activities at the Community Center, Senior Center and the Seaside Youth Center.

The Seaside Youth Center runs a drop-in program for youth ages 6 to 19 offering billiards, ping pong, electronic games, computer access, programmed activities and movies. Preschool, arts and crafts and health and fitness programs are also offered.

The district sponsors trips and classes for all ages throughout the year, including a popular summer camp for youngsters.

For more information, call (503) 738-3311 or go online to www.sunsetempire.com

The Promenade and Turnaround

In the center of town, Broadway, with its lively shops, arcades and treat stores leads to Seaside's Turnaround at the beach. With its magnificent view of the Pacific Ocean and a statue of Meriwether Lewis and William Clark commemorating the explorers' historic expedition, the Turnaround is the epicenter of Seaside.

Intersecting the turnaround is the popular Promenade,

Seaside's Beach Volleyball Tournament

two miles of paved walkway past grand Seaside homes on one side and gorgeous dunes and beach views on the other. Walkers, runners and sweethearts out for a stroll all love the Prom – which is lined with benches for relaxing.

EVENTS

Seaside Beach Volleyball Tournament

Thousands of volleyball enthusiasts will gather in Seaside Aug. 12-14 for a regional beach volleyball tournament. Professionals battle in fierce competition while yards away highly-ranked amateurs play.

If you are a fan of the Seaside Beach Volleyball Tournament, there are yards of comfy sand for you to put down a blanket and get a front-row seat to the action. In addition to the games, you can catch spiking and serving competitions. Just a warning – these folks play hard and a player diving into the crowd or sending a smoking volleyball careening onto a spectator's beach blanket is a common sight.

When not used for tournaments, several sand volleyball courts are available in the summer for casual pickup games or friendly team rivalries.

Seaside Hood to Coast

The Hood to Coast run is billed as the largest relay race in the world. It covers a grueling course with teams of 12 racing around the clock to the finish line.

The race covers 195 miles from Mount Hood to Seaside. Related events include the Portland to Coast Walk, a 126-mile relay, and the Portland to Coast High School Challenge, a 125-mile relay intended for those 18 and younger. There's always a big party at the finish line at the beach in Seaside.

Hood to Coast takes place Aug. 26-27. For more information about the race, go to the Hood to Coast Web site, htc.nationwide.com/htc

Seaside Orchid show

The Sunset Empire Orchid Society will host its seventh annual Fall Show and Plant Sale Oct. 1-2 at the Broadway School, 1120 Broadway. More than 15 Northwest commercial orchid growers will exhibit, and several orchid societies from Oregon will be present as well. For more information, call (503) 861-1344.

Life's a walk on the beach

To help nature lovers and romantics, suntanners and loners, we offer this short guide to a handful of carefully selected beaches on Oregon's North Coast and Washington's South Coast.

Dead Man's Cove

To get to Dead Man's Cove, drive north on U.S. Highway 101 to Ilwaco, and follow the signs to Cape Disappointment State Park. Drive past the park entrance and to the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center parking lot. Take the left-hand trail, up the hill. Hike through thick foliage for about 10 minutes, and you'll be there.

Fort Stevens State Park's Trestle Bay

To get to the jetty beach, go to the park's north entrance and drive for about five miles, past Battery Russell down the jetty to the last parking lot. Walk across the wood walkway through the trees to the wildlife viewing bunker, which contains a guide to the coast and shore birds. Continue down a trail through the grass to the beach.

Necanicum River Estuary

In Seaside, drive down 12th Avenue to the north end of the Prom, and walk right, passing in front of a row of beach houses. You'll come across a less-traveled and more beautiful stretch of beach, near the mouth of the Necanicum River. A favorite of locals, the half-hour stroll along the estuary creates an entirely different mood than the arcade on the main drag.

Short Sands at Oswald West State Park

The trail head for the Oswald West State Park campground and beach access is about nine miles south of Cannon Beach along U.S. Highway 101 in northern Tillamook County.

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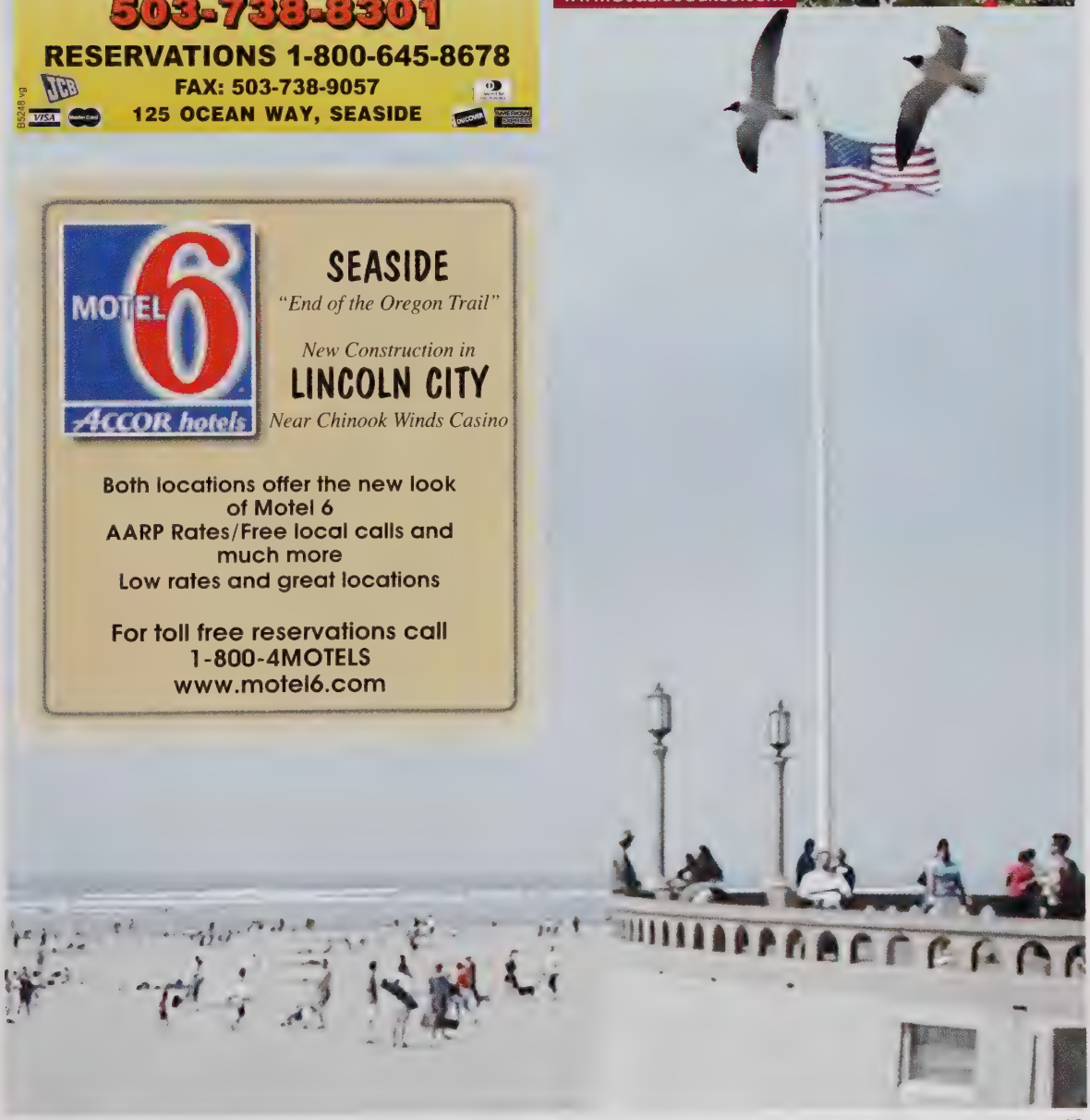

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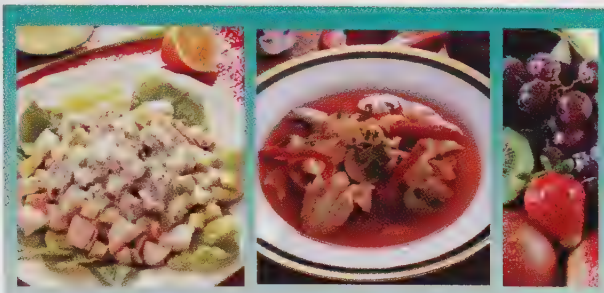

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Cannon Beach

An artist's daydream

The coastal village of Cannon Beach has been known through the West as an artists' colony. Dominating the town and inspiring awe in tourists and residents is the magnificent monolith, Haystack Rock, accompanied by a two-mile swath of beach.

On a typical summer weekend, kites brighten the sky with their rainbow colors while beachcombers hunt for treasures. Throngs of shoppers find unusual gifts, distinctive fashions and unique works of art in dozens of shops and galleries along the flower-filled downtown streets.

Haystack Rock

A must-see for visitors and artists in Cannon Beach is the town's famed Haystack Rock right on the beach, the world's third largest monolith at 235 feet.

The other monoliths near Haystack Rock are called the Needles.

Keep a lookout for Cannon Beach's unofficial mascot who loves to nest on Haystack Rock during the summer: the tufted puffin. The black birds have orange bills and white feathers above their eyes appearing in tufts.

Another popular feature at Haystack Rock is its tide pools of starfish, anemone and little crabs. Sometimes there are sea slugs. Summer programs are offered for visitors. The best sea life can be seen at low tide. Haystack Rock is a federally-designated marine garden and its sea life is protected – visitors are not allowed to remove life forms or climb on the rocks.

Ecola State Park

Just north of Cannon Beach, Ecola State Park is a prime spot for whale watching and picnics.

The great expanse of Oregon rain forest in the park is laced with trails and stunning views of the Pacific Ocean, Cannon Beach, Haystack Rock and the Tillamook Rock Lighthouse.

Ecola State Park is a good bird-watching site and interpretive signs describe the bird species that thrive here – puffins, herons, murres and cormorants.

The park has many amenities, including restrooms, picnic tables and places to barbecue. It's a day-use only state park, and there is an entrance fee.

EVENTS

Kite Festival

The 18th Annual Puffin Kite Festival April 18 reminds visitors to recapture the childhood fun of flying kites.

The event features all sorts and shapes of kites, flying contests, workshops, demonstrations, children's activities, prizes and good eats, including a weenie roast. For more information, call the Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce at (503) 436-2623.

Stormy Weather Arts Festival

Each November a bit of magic happens in Cannon Beach. The town transforms into a festival of creativity filled with live music and art. This long-standing community celebration is the perfect way to usher in the coming winter. This year's event is Nov. 4-6.

The Stormy Weather Arts Festival, the first weekend in November, offers a deluge of artistic and musical talent. There will be live music in shops, galleries and restaurants all over town. The many events include the "Quick Draw and Auction," musical concerts and demonstrations by the local artists.

For more information, call (503) 436-2623, or visit the Information Center in Cannon Beach, at the corner of Second and Spruce streets.

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The often photographed and much painted Haystack Rock is a Cannon Beach icon.

North Coast claim to fame

Largest Sitka spruce

Purported to be the largest of its species in the world, a baronial Sitka spruce tree draws more than 95,000 people a year to Klootchy Creek County Park. When last measured in 1973, the tree was 52 feet, 6 inches in circumference and 216 feet tall with a 93-foot crown spread.

The Columbus Day Storm of 1962 blew off the top of the tree. A lightning bolt in the early 1970s left a scar partway up the trunk. Estimated to be 400 years old, the spruce shows its age.

On a beautiful summer day, easily 1,000 people drop by the park along U.S. Highway 26, five miles east of Seaside. Even in the winter months, the park draws many local fishermen who come to dip their lines in the Necanicum River.

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Manzanita

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The sea glistens at a viewpoint from U.S. Highway 101 overlooking Manzanita.

For a little rest and relaxation, consider Manzanita, a quiet and quaint seaside village still sleepy but slowly awakening.

You'll find Manzanita (the name means "little apple" in Spanish) 13 miles south of Cannon Beach. As you leave Cannon Beach heading south on U.S. Highway 101, you will pass through the Arch Cape Tunnel and Oswald West State Park. Shortly after, prepare for a splendid view. High above on Neahkahnie Mountain, the village winks from below as the blue ocean spreads on endlessly.

Wind your way down the mountain into Manzanita, founded in 1946, and be sure to stop and explore. Revel in the surf and solitude. The nearly 800 year-round residents, including many artists, enjoy the laid-back atmosphere.

The shops on the main street are all independently-owned, some with quirky names such as 3 Peas in a Pod, Crankie's Coffee, Treasure Cave and Bad Woman Gallery.

Manzanita Beach

Manzanitans are very proud of their white sand, pristine Manzanita Beach, which stretches seven miles from the base of Neahkahnie Mountain to the Nehalem Bay jetty at the south, where seals are apt to bark a greeting from the rocks.

Neahkahnie Mountain

The mountain-sea combo becomes even more breathtaking when hiking Neahkahnie Mountain. From the top, the panoramic view is unforgettable.

It's so memorable that a Manzanita brochure claims the sight is the third-most photographed in Oregon.

To get to the trail's start, watch for the International Hiker sign on U.S. Highway 101 while heading north toward Cannon Beach.

Manzanita recreation

The 9-hole Manzanita Golf Course is picturesque with a signature hole on an elevated tee that looks down into the valley. It is a unique course that is playable in winter because it is built on sand and drains well.

There are plenty of other recreational sports to be found around Manzanita: horseback riding, bike rentals, beachcombing, kayaking or hiking at Nehalem Bay State Park and Oswald West State Park.

For more information about Manzanita, call the Nehalem Bay Area Chamber of Commerce at (503) 368-5100.

Wheeler

Go fishing or crabbing or head out to the great outdoors

Once a thriving fishing village, Wheeler is still known for its crabbing and salmon fishing. Only nowadays, Wheeler is also a hot spot for eco-tours, kayaking, fine dining and antique shopping.

Wheeler is situated on Nehalem Bay, where the Nehalem River empties into the Pacific Ocean. It is an area of astounding natural beauty, with Neahkahnie Mountain in the distance as you look toward the western horizon.

Originally founded in 1910 by C.H. Wheeler, the town has a year-round population of about 350 people.

Its location makes it an exciting destination for outdoor enthusiasts. There are opportunities for wildlife viewing. Nehalem Bay offers some of the best crabbing on the Northern Oregon Coast, with several area businesses renting all of the necessary equipment. The summer and fall runs of salmon draw fishermen from all over the world.

The Nehalem Bay Kayak Company rents kayaks by the day or the hour, and offers a guided estuary lunch tour that begins at the old fishing piers in downtown. For information, call Nehalem Bay Kayak Company at (877) KayakCo. or www.nbkayak.com.

The Nehalem Bay Chamber of Commerce is located right off U.S. Highway 101 in the Wheeler Station at 425 Nehalem Blvd. The chamber can be contacted by calling (877) 368-5100 or www.nehalembaychamber.com

EVENTS

An annual Crab Fest is held the third weekend in June and the Salmon Festival is held Labor Day Weekend. Contact Deanna Hendrics (503) 368-6163 for information about either festival.

Nehalem

Stroll through the historic downtown and visit a winery

Nestled in a lush green valley, the historic town of Nehalem sits on the edge of the Nehalem River. The Coast Range mountains lie to the north, providing a dramatic backdrop for the town with towering basalt formations and slopes covered in dense rain forests. To the south, are the dairy farms that make Tillamook County famous for its delicious cheese and ice cream.

Incorporated as a town in 1899, Nehalem has retained its historic charm as well as the natural beauty of its surroundings. Downtown, many of the building facades are reminiscent of the store fronts seen in movies about cowboys in the Old West. In addition, some of the homes in Nehalem are registered with the National Register of Historic homes.

The historic downtown area provides a pleasant shopping experience with its mix of antique stores, curiosity shops and boutiques. The area is small enough that you can park your car at one end of town and walk along the river while window shopping and taking in the views of the scenic Nehalem Valley.

The Nehalem Antique and Collectible Mall on the north end of town is akin to a small museum where everything is for sale. The phone number is (503) 368-7190.

On the south side of town, the Nehalem Dock Restaurant has a big deck overlooking the Nehalem River.

Nehalem Bay State Park lies to the north of town. The park is located on the four-mile long sand spit that separates Nehalem Bay from the Pacific Ocean. A short hike over the dunes leads to a pristine beach with a spectacular view of Neahkahnie Mountain. Herds of Roosevelt elk visit the Nehalem Bay State Park, along with deer and coyotes. For more information, call (503) 368-5154 or (800) 551-6949, or to reserve a camping spot call (800) 452-5687.

At the Nehalem Bay Floating Hotel, accommodations are converted tugboats, barges and yachts floating on the Nehalem River.

A short drive south on U.S. Highway 101, will take you to the Nehalem Bay Winery. The winery is situated in a 95-year-old creamery that was part of the Tillamook Creamery Co-op for 70 years. The winery opened in 1973, beginning production with a blackberry wine. The tasting room is open every day excluding Christmas and Thanksgiving.

EVENTS

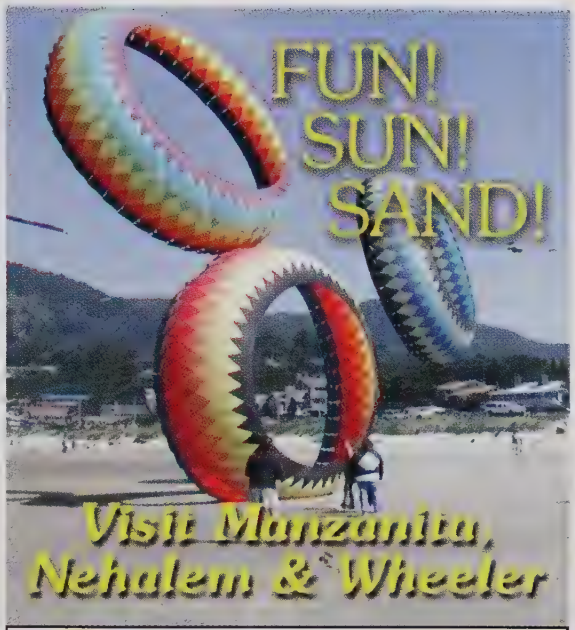
Arts and Crafts Fair

The Nehalem Bay Arts and Crafts Fair is held in July. Local craftsman and artists sell everything from finely glazed pottery, to landscape photography of regional attractions and furniture inspired from driftwood.

Winery events

In addition, the Nehalem Bay Winery hosts events throughout the year. The winery is at 34965 Oregon Highway 53, (503) 368-WINE, www.nehalembaywinery.com

For information about the town of Nehalem, the chamber of commerce can be contacted at (877) 368-5100, or at www.nehalembaychamber.com. The chamber of commerce is at 425 Nehalem Blvd. in nearby Wheeler.



Long Beach Peninsula

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Cape Disappointment Historic District

The Cape Disappointment Historic District's scenic loop offers sights of Cape Disappointment State Park, the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center, North Head and Cape Disappointment lighthouses, the North Jetty and Waikiki Beach. The park, formerly Fort Canby, was built in the 1860s to help guard the Columbia River's entrance. Camping, hiking and biking are available. For more information, call (360) 642-3078 or (800) 562-0990. For general information on Washington State Parks call (800) 233-0321.

The Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center is located on top of two silent gun emplacements. The center offers a breathtaking view of the Columbia River, as well as a pictorial display of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

Cape Disappointment State Park

The North Head and Cape Disappointment lighthouses are both in the state park in Ilwaco. Hawaii isn't the only place with a Waikiki Beach. The peninsula has one, too. You'll find it in the state park. It's a favorite place to picnic, and it is also a relatively safe swimming spot. For more information, call (360) 642-3029.

For Washington State Park information, call (888) 226-7688 or go online to www.parks.wa.gov

Station Camp

Lewis and Clark's Corps of Discovery camped for 10 days at Station Camp on the Columbia River east of Chinook, Wash. A park is being developed by the Washington State Historical Society to commemorate the stay and the Chinook Indians who inhabited the area for hundreds of years. This is where the famous vote of the expedition took place, deciding that winter camp would be made on the Oregon side of the Columbia. The park will be dedicated in November.

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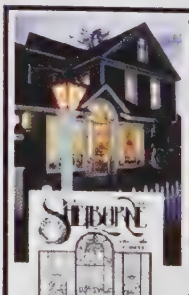

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The Boardwalk

The Boardwalk is a boon to visitors who don't want to, or are unable to, walk on the soft beach sand. Dusk is no reason to head back to your hotel or camper because the Boardwalk is illuminated with small lights. Several information sites along the Boardwalk offer illustrations and narratives on birds of the area, shipwreck locations and local history.

Restrooms, free parking and access to the Dune Trail are located at either end of the Boardwalk.

Long Beach Kite Museum

The World Kite Museum & Hall of Fame houses a collection of more than 1,300 kites, donated by kite enthusiasts from all over the world. The collection includes the initial gift of 700 Japanese, Chinese and Malaysian kites.

Visitors will also see displays paying homage to international kite designers and flyers.

The museum is located at Third Street and Pacific Highway. Winter hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday through Monday. Admission is charged. For more information, call (360) 642-4020.

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Fort Columbia

The U.S. Army built the fort in the late 19th century, with Fort Canby, now called Cape Disappointment State

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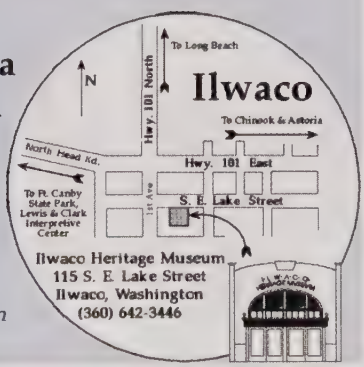

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Park, in Washington and Fort Stevens in Oregon, to defend the coast against possible invaders. Three batteries armed the fort – the first was Battery Ord, named for a lieutenant killed in the Spanish-American War. It was completed in 1898. The other batteries are Crenshaw and Murphy.

Restored buildings and historical displays provide a glimpse into the fort's military era. The original barracks and commanding officer's house still stand, along with some of the other buildings on officers' row. The enlisted men's barracks at Fort Columbia serve as a historical interpretive center.

Recreational facilities are limited to short trails and picnic tables below the upper gun battery. Although the park fronts the Columbia River, steep bluffs prevent access to the water.

Fort Columbia is on U.S. Highway 101, two miles southeast of Chinook, Wash., at the west end of the highway tunnel. There are 26 picnic sites, restrooms and parking, but no camping. For more information, call (360) 642-3078 or (360) 777-8221.

A 1.5-mile Loop Trail starts at the interpretive center in the old enlisted men's barracks. It pauses at the Columbia House, the former commandant's home. From Columbia House, the path travels by the old powerhouse, then heads downhill through the various gun battery emplacements and grounds. Tall, old spruce and enormous big-leaf maple trees provide shade for hikers. Leg two of the walk is a steep, two-mile climb that follows old roads up Scarboro Hill to the site of the fire-control observation posts and the quartermen's storehouse.

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The Long Beach Rodeo ropes in the crowds on the Peninsula.

Ilwaco Heritage Museum

In November 2004, the Ilwaco Heritage Museum opened the exhibit, "Don't Bother Me With the Facts: Uses and Abuses of the Lewis & Clark Theme in Popular Culture." The exhibition has three components, souvenirs and memorabilia; commemorative connections; and information and history. It includes memorabilia and souvenirs from many of the centennial, sesquicentennial and bicentennial commemorations.

This exhibit and more await visitors to the Ilwaco Heritage Museum, 115 S.E. Lake St. in Ilwaco, Wash.. The museum is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Admission is $5 for adults (ages 18 to 54), $4 for seniors, 55 or older, $2.50 for children 12 to 17, $2.50 for children 6 to 11 and free for children younger than 6. For more information, call (360) 642-3446.

The Colbert House

With all the original house furnishings and gadgets left behind, the Colbert House in Ilwaco, Wash., offers a look at life in the early 1900s. It is the only building in Ilwaco to have the National Register of Historic Places designation. The house is at the corner of Spruce and Quaker streets in Ilwaco. Public tours are offered during the summer. For more information, call (360) 642-2400 or (800) 451-2542.

EVENTS

Garlic Festival

Do you love garlic? You'll be in ecstasy at the annual Northwest Garlic Festival June 18-19. Sample garlic oysters, garlic-smothered sausages, chocolate-covered garlic, garlic jam and try garlic ice cream. Live music will entertain you as you shop for garlic memorabilia, garlic crafts and garlic food and condiments, or try your luck in the garlic peeling contest. The Garlic Festival is held at Sheldon Field located at the south end of Ocean Park. Remember, it's chic to reek (of garlic, that is).

SandSations

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This is just one of the many letters we have received expressing the same sentiment. The Breakers is truly the Peninsula's premier family resort. And it is affordable. Our ocean-view suites have full kitchens, large living rooms with fireplaces and separate bedrooms. Most of the rooms have ocean-view balconies. We charge one low room rate with no cost for extra persons. We also have regular hotel-size rooms at economy rates, and there are a few

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rooms and suites where pets are permitted for a small additional fee. (Call ahead, as pet rooms are limited). Each of our four lodging buildings has a guest laundry and there is a small, separate meeting room and kitchenette for reunions and business meetings (up to 50 people).

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For today's view of our beach and Clark's Tree Monument, visit our web-cam
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The Breakers

1-800-219-9833 Our 24-acre beach-front resort is located just 1-1/2 miles north of downtown Long Beach

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Bolstad beach approach in Long Beach. Have you always wanted to try your hand at building a sand castle? Sand sculpting contestants can register at www.funbeach.com. For more information, call (800) 451-2542 or (360) 642-2400.

Long Beach Rodeo

This big little rodeo offers thrills and excitement for the entire family. Check out the saddle bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, barrel racing, Pee Wee barrels and a perennial crowd favorite, bull riding. Kids, you might want to try mutton busting (riding sheep)! A hearty Cowboy Breakfast is offered both days of the rodeo. Vendors have booths inside and out to feed hungry rodeo goers throughout the day.

The rodeo is held July 30-31 at the rodeo grounds, located off Sandridge Road east of Long Beach. For more information, call the Peninsula Visitor's Bureau at (360) 642-2400 or (800) 451-2542.

International Kite Festival

Come celebrate the wind at the 22nd annual Washington State International Kite festival Aug. 15-21. Join flyers and watchers from around the world enjoying the beauty and grace of kites. Food and craft booths line the Bolstad Avenue beach approach. Other highlights of the week-long festival include handmade kites, mass ascensions, kite trains, Japanese kite fighting, kite-making workshops, and the ever-popular lighted kite fly. Both Friday and Saturday evenings feature fireworks displays on the beach starting at dusk. For more information on competition rules or the festival, call (800) 451-2542.

Hot Rod to the End of the World

If you love classic cars and hot rods, the annual Rod Run To The End of The World, Sept. 9-11, won't disappoint. Watch for the cars arriving in the days leading to the Rod Run. An admission charge lets you check out these classic beauties up close on Saturday morning.

For exhibitors, there are more than 60 trophies sponsored by local merchants, who get to vote for their favorite cars. There are also door prizes, a treasure hunt, breakfast and salmon barbecue. Exhibitors can register by calling (360) 665-3565.

For more information, call the Ocean Park Area Chamber of Commerce at (800) 451-2542.

Cranberrian Fair

Come celebrate the harvest and history of America's native fruit at the Cranberrian Fair, Oct. 7-9. This fair offers cranberry specialties and products, crafts, entertainment and tours of historic sites and points of interest on Washington's Long Beach Peninsula. Crafts of all sorts will be on display and cranberry food specialties will be available throughout the fair. The purchase of a button, available at shops throughout the peninsula, admits you to the fair and three museums. For more information, call the Heritage Museum at (360) 642-3446.

Water Music Festival

The festival has a tradition of fostering and reinforcing the love and appreciation of classical music. It extends this tradition by offering free performances at various venues, including local schools and nursing homes. Listen for the sounds of classical music resonating up and down the Long Beach Peninsula Oct. 20-23. For more information and a list of performers, visit the festival's Web site at www.watermusicfestival.com or call (800) 451-2542.

Explore the Sights

1. Fort Clatsop National Memorial, the site of the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery's winter encampment of 1805-06. The replica fort was built from drawings. Interpreters in authentic costumes give demonstrations of wilderness survival skills. The visitors center has displays and films. Hiking trails run through the site. Cars are not allowed beginning this summer. *See Lewis and Clark Bicentennial on pages 5,6,8,9,14.*
2. Fort Stevens State Park was a military installation for World War II. Gun batteries, a campground, lake and miles of bike trails grace the site. *See pages 26 and 27 for more information.*
3. Cullaby Lake and Carnahan County Park offer picnic and play areas. The lake is a popular place for swimming, boating and fishing.
4. Lewis & Clark Wildlife Refuge/ Twilight Creek Eagle Sanctuary is a wildlife viewing area just east of Astoria's city limits. It has an observation platform that overlooks a protected eagle habitat.
5. Cape Disappointment State Park, formerly Fort Canby State Park, offers camping and hiking near Ilwaco, Wash. It borders the Columbia River and the Pacific Ocean. Visit Cape Disappointment Lighthouse and interpretive center. *See page 56*
6. North Head Lighthouse is on the Ocean side of the Long Beach Peninsula. Tours of the lighthouse and other buildings are offered.

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Perhaps best known for its delectable cheddar cheese, Tillamook is a place of unsurpassed beauty, providing countless opportunities for visitors to explore, hike, camp or shop.

Tillamook Cheese Factory

For nearly 100 years, award-winning cheeses have been produced by the Tillamook County Creamery Association.

The Tillamook Cheese Visitor's Center, 4175 U.S. Highway 101 N., is a showcase for a long list of products, as well as an education in the creamery's history and cheesemaking.

Free, self-guided tours feature video presentations, historical displays and interactive kiosks. The upstairs observation areas provide viewing into the cheesemaking room and Tillamook's packaging line. Make sure you stop by the sample counter for a taste of several varieties of cheese.

The Visitor's Center also provides cheese, gift and gourmet shops, the Farmhouse Café for breakfast or lunch and Tillamook ice cream at the dipping counter – in a freshly baked waffle cone.

Open daily 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. in summer and 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. during winter. Closed Thanksgiving and Christmas. Free. For more information, call (503) 815-1300 or (800) 542-7290 or visit the Web site: www.tillamookcheese.com

Tillamook Air Museum

Captivate your spirit with the collection of war planes and other aircraft at the Tillamook Naval Air Station Museum. Specializing in the planes of World War II, the collection features rare aircraft that still fly. A restoration shop at the hangar ensures the aircraft look as if they just rolled off the production line.

The massive World War II blimp hangar housing the collection is the largest wooden building in the world.

The Tillamook Air Museum is located two miles south of Tillamook, near U.S. 101 at 6030 Hangar Road. It is open year-round except Thanksgiving and Christmas. Sept. 7 to June 3 hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. June 4 to Labor Day hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is $10.50 for adults, $9.50 for seniors (65 and older), $6 for youth (6 to 17) and free for children 5 and younger. The museum is handicap accessible and provides complimentary wheelchairs.

For more information, visit www.tillamookair.com or call (503) 842-1130.

Blue Heron Cheese Factory

The Blue Heron is famous for its Brie, notably the herb and cracked peppercorn varieties, and Camembert cheese. Stop by the delicatessen for homemade sandwiches and soups. The Blue Heron has the largest wine tasting room on the Oregon Coast. Admission is free. Hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily in the summer and 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily

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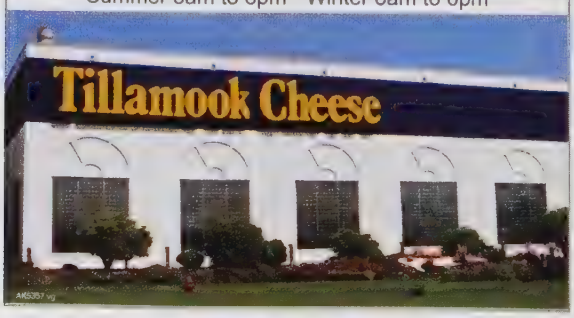

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Latimer Quilt and Textile Center

The Latimer Quilt and Textile Center is dedicated to displaying and promoting fiber arts, particularly quilts.

The 4,200-square-foot building houses the center's textile collection, and as they tour the facility, visitors can watch artists create textiles.

Tillamook Pioneer Museum

The Tillamook Pioneer Museum, established in 1935, brims with more than 35,000 artifacts.

See a replica of the stump house Tillamook's first white settler lived in after he arrived by whale boat in 1851.

The sheriff's vault contains a large gun collection, including a 6-pound cannon ball. It is believed Capt. Robert Gray fired this when he entered Tillamook Bay in 1788.

The quilt room features bedding and clothing displays, sewing machines and old pump organs.

The last stagecoach to make the mail run from Tillamook to Yamhill in 1911 is in the basement. Also tucked into the basement is a blacksmith shop, a replica of great grandmother's kitchen, washing machines, cameras, radios, typewriters and, of course, cheese-making equipment.

The logging display features equipment ranging from oxen days to modern times, plus a full-size forest fire lookout station.

Children won't be bored with all the grown-up stuff in the museum. There is a children's room with toys and musical instruments.

The museum is located at 2106 Second St. Admission is $3 for adults, $2.50 for seniors. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. The museum is closed Sundays, Mondays and major holidays. For more information, call (503) 842-4553.

Garibaldi Museum

The Garibaldi Museum, a few miles north of Tillamook in the small coastal town of Garibaldi, is chartered to enhance the maritime heritage of the Pacific Northwest by collecting information concerning Capt. Robert Gray and his historical vessels, the Lady Washington and the Columbia Rediviva. Hours are noon to 4 p.m. Thursday through Sunday, July 1 to Sept. 30.

Whalen Island

Few other ecosystems sustain as much plant and animal life as the Whalen Island estuary. Part of the Sand Lake Estuary south of Tillamook, Whalen Island includes 100 acres of wetlands and salt grass marshes. It offers visitors a good chance to see blue herons, bald eagles, otters and all types of waterfowl.

Another 80 acres are considered uplands suitable for recreation. A six-acre campground and primitive camp sites are available.

To get to Whalen Island State Natural Area, head south on U.S. 101 past Tillamook and turn right on Sand Lake Road. Turn left at the first stop sign. Head south approximately 3.5 miles and look for a small camping sign. The park is on the right.

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Take a few moments while you're here to relax and appreciate the gorgeous surroundings.

Munson Creek Falls

The waters of Munson Creek Falls tumble 319 feet from a basalt wall at the end of a steep canyon. It is the tallest waterfall on the Oregon Coast.

Standing only 38 feet tall, the Cape Meares lighthouse near Tillamook is the shortest lighthouse in the state of Oregon.

A half-mile trail leads to the base of the falls. A picnic table at trail's end offers one of the most scenic seats around, even though the sunlight hitting the table is limited. No restrooms are available, but there is a rest area on U.S. 101 north of the park.

To get to Munson Creek Falls, travel seven miles south of Tillamook on U.S. 101. Turn east on Munson Creek Road (marked by a brown county parks sign). The road becomes gravel near the park. Access by campers or trailers is not advised.

Cape Meares Lighthouse

The tower of Cape Meares Lighthouse stands just 38 feet high, but that didn't prevent its beam from guiding mariners off the Oregon Coast from 1890 to 1963. The lighthouse is open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m daily April through October. Free. There is an interpretive gift shop in the lighthouse.

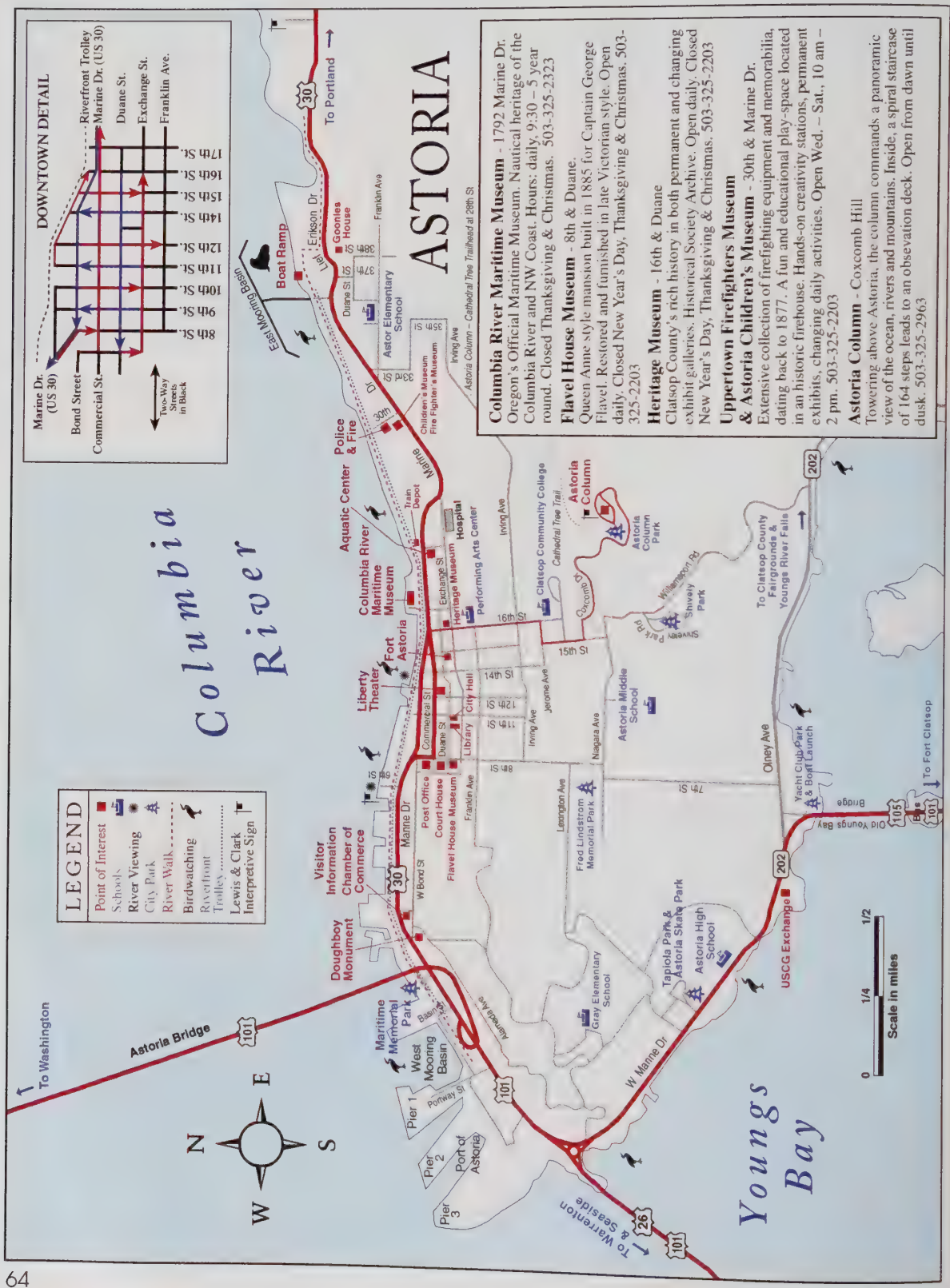
Just west of Tillamook, the state park is open daily form 7 a.m. to dusk. Other attractions at the park are the Three Arch Rocks National Wildlife Refuge, nature trails and the famous Octopus Tree. There are viewpoints where visitors can observe native birds and the annual whale migration. There is no day-use fee for the park. Web at www.oregonstateparks.org/park or call (800) 551-6949.

Short Gnat Creek hike reveals hidden **waterfall**

The Nicolai-Wickiup Watershed Walk is an interpretive trail that originates at Gnat Creek Hatchery between mileposts 76 and 77 on U.S. Highway 30. It passes a seldom-seen waterfall, and makes a loop through part of the Clatsop State Forest.

Tours highlight the features of the Gnat Creek watershed, including the geology, salmon and trout species, historical use and the managed forest.

"The idea for this trail was hatched by a number of people who wanted to provide two things for local folks and visitors traveling Highway 30," says Roger Warren, manager of the hatchery. "We wanted to create a trail to view the beautiful waterfall and forest upstream, and we wanted a place to educate youth and adults about healthy watersheds and how to get involved in the Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds," Warren says. The Oregon Plan is the state's plan for salmon recovery and watershed health that emphasizes partnerships with watershed councils, landowners and state and federal agencies.



Tasty oysters tell a story

Oysters are an integral part of Willapa Bay's history. Their rich, tangy meat drew the earliest migrants from New York and San Francisco to the Willapa, a sheltered waterway originally tagged Shoalwater Bay by an explorer for its hard-to-navigate shallow drafts.

The last native oysters disappeared from the mudflats in the 1930s, though some farmers still grow the remnant stock. Now absent, oystermen used to bring in Eastern oysters. In the early 1970s, a mariculturist introduced the Japanese oysters that are now the mainstay of the industry.

Willapa Bay Interpretive Center

Want to learn more oyster lore? The Willapa Bay Interpretive Center is just the place.

The center tells the story of the bay's oyster industry and the many people it has touched. The tale is related through a series of narratives from numerous oyster family pioneers.

The center is located at the Port of Peninsula in Nahcotta, Wash., and is open from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays from Memorial Day weekend to Labor Day.

Fort Clatsop - 9243 Fort Clatsop Rd.
Replica of Lewis & Clark's winter quarters offers visitors exhibits, audio-visual programs, interpretive services, educational programs, a book store, picnic area and hiking trails. Open Daily, closed Christmas. 503-8612471
Fort Stevens State Park - Ridge Road, Hammond
Oregon Coast's largest state park includes miles of ocean beaches, camping, nature trails, boating, fishing and swimming, picnic facilities, river and wildlife viewing areas and 7 miles of biking trails. Also a historical military site and shipwreck described below.
Fort Stevens Historical Museum
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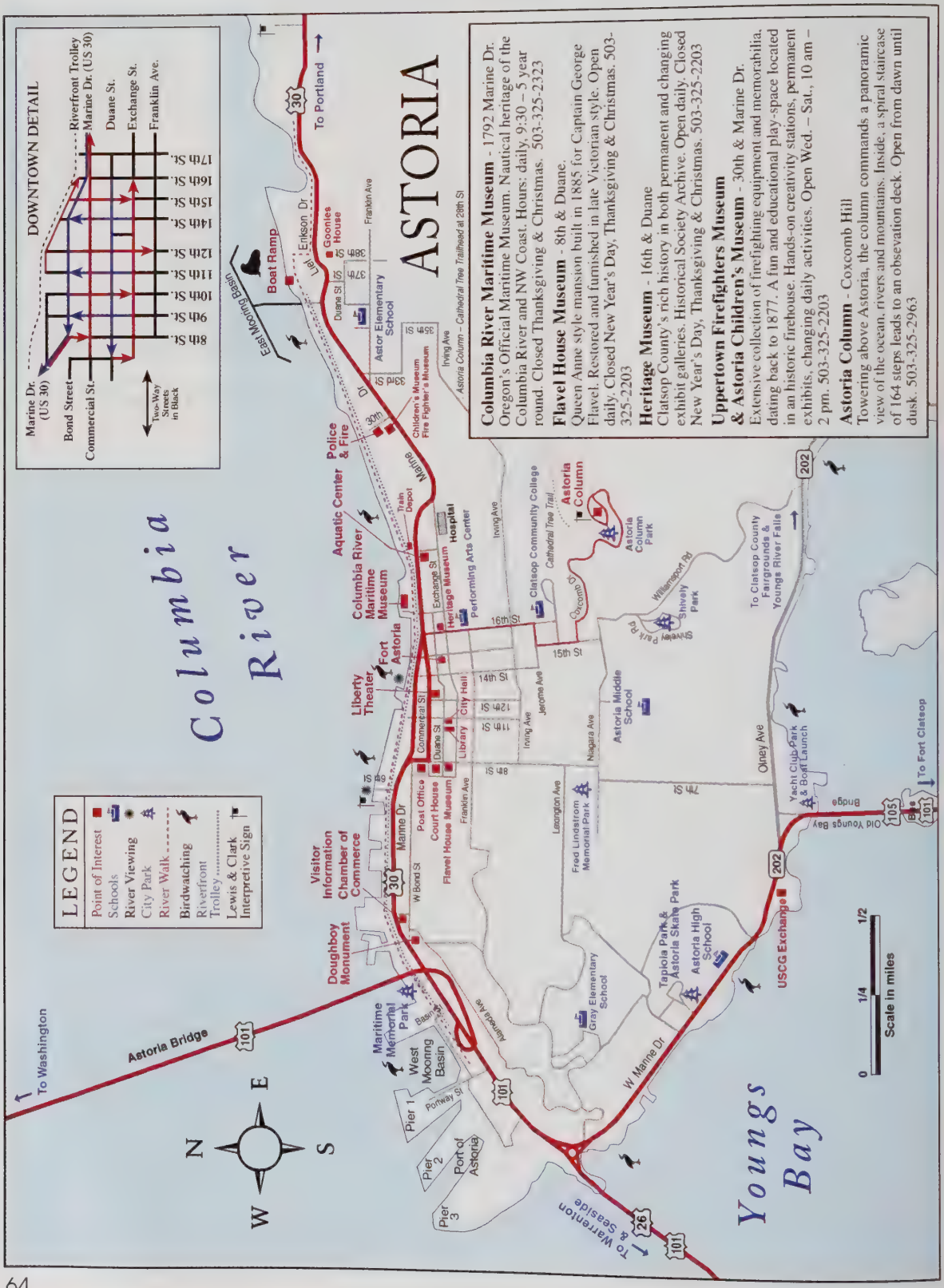

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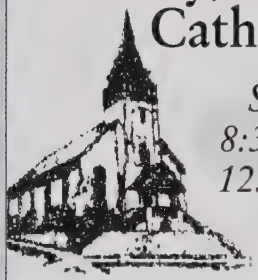

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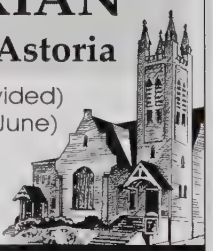

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Boreas B&B Inn - 607 N. Ocean Blvd., LB 642-8069, 888-642-8069	•			•	O	•	P	T	•	HJIR	12	5	$160-170
Caswell's on the Bay - 25204 Sandridge Rd., OP 665-6535, 888-553-2319	•			•	B		P	TC	V		15	5	$130-180
Charles Nelson Guest Hse - 26205 Sandridge, OP 665-4697, 888-862-9756	•	•		•	B		P	TC	•			3	$130-150
China Beach Retreat - 222 Robert Gray Dr, IL 1-800-INN-1896	•				BR					HJIR	15	3	$179-199
Shelburne Inn - 4415 Pacific Way, SV 1-800-INN-1896	•		•				P				36	15	$119-179
Whalebone House B&B - 2101 Bay Ave. OP 665-5371, 888-298-3330	•					•	P				12	4	$125-140
Hotels/Motels													
ASTORIA 97103 - WARRENTON 97146													
Astoria Dunes Motel - 288 W. Marine Dr. 325-7111, 800-441-3319	•		•		R		IR	TC		PHJIR		58	$60-110
Astoria Rivershore Motel - 59 W. Marine Dr. 325-2921, 866-322-8047	•	•	•	•	R		•	TC				42	$59-$88
Best Western - Lincoln Inn - 555 Hamburg St. 325-2205, 800-621-0641	•	•	•	•	RB		•	TC		PHSJIR	60	75	$70-300
Columbia Inn - 495 Marine Dr. 325-4211, 800-721-9440	•				R			TC				22	$59-99
Comfort Suites - 3420 Leif Erickson Dr. 325-2000, 800-228-5150	•		•	•	R	P	•	TC		PHSJIR	50	75	$99-269
Crest Motel - 5366 Leif Erickson Dr. 325-3141, 800-421-3141	•	•	•	•	R		•	TC		H		40	$137.50
Holiday Inn Express & Suites -204 W. Marine Dr. 325-6222, 888-898-6222	•	•	•		R	IR	•	TC	D	PHJIR	160	78	$119-249
Hotel Elliott - 357 12th St. 325-2222, 877-378-1924	•	•	•		R	IR	•	TC	V	JIR	90	32	$169-375
Lamplighter Motel - 131 W. Marine Dr. 325-4051, 800-845-8847	•	•	•					TC				29	$50-75
Red Lion Inn - 400 Industry St. 325-7373, 800-733-5466	•	•	•		RB		IR	TC			300	124	$89-299
Shilo Inn - 1609 E. Harbor, Warrenton 861-2181, 800-222-2244	•	•	•	•	B		IR	TCS		PHS	60	63	$59-269
CANNON BEACH 97110													
Hallmark Resort, 1400 S. Hemlock 436-1566, 888-448-4449	•	•	•	•	O	•	•	T	V	PHSJIR	60	142	$124-329
SEASIDE 97138													
Holiday Inn Exp. Hotel & Suites, 34 N. Holladay Dr. 717-8000	•		•		RO	P	•	TC		PHSJIR	50	79	$99-349
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Anchorage Cottages - 2209 Boulevard N, LB 642-2351, 800-646-2351	•	•	•	•	•	•		TC	V			10	$65-113
Breakers - 210 26th St. NW, LB 642-4414, 800-219-9833	•	•		•	O	•	IR	TC	V	PHSJ	50	120	$89-239
Chautauqua Lodge - 304 N 14th St., LB 642-4401, 800-869-8401	•	•	•	•	O	•	•	TC		PHS	300	120	$90-170
Enchanted Cottages Ant. Vil. - 4102 Pacific 642-8606, 866-883-9716	•		•	•		•		TC	V			6	$89-129
Lighthouse, Oceanfront Res. - 12417 Pacific Wy. 642-3622, 887-220-7555	•	•	•	•	O	•		TC	V		50	38	$54-199
Ocean Park Resort - 25904 R St., OP 665-4585, 800-835-4634	•	*	•	•			P	TC	V	PH	30	14	$68-154
Seaview Mot. & Cottages - 3728 Pacific Wy, SV 642-2450, 866-288-2849	•	•		•				TC				15	$54-90
Shaman Motel - 115 3rd St. SW, LB 642-3714, 800-753-3750	•	•		•		•	•	TC		P		42	$54-119
Super 8 Motel - 500 Ocean Beach S., LB 642-8988, 888-478-3297	•	•	•				•	TC	V		100	50	$59-179

Key: IR - In Room, P - Public
View: R - River, B - Bay, O - Ocean
* = restricted availability

Web/email addresses can be found in the Business Directory at the back of this guide.

All properties have non-smoking rooms. Most offer discounts for groups or lengthy stays, ask when you call.

† Each city charges a lodging tax, including an Oregon Statewide 1% tax: Astoria 10% • Warrenton 10% • Wash. 7.8% • Long Beach +3%

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Restaurants

Location	Area Code: 503 OREGON 360 WASHINGTON	Credit Cards	Reservations	Senior Cit. Menu	Children's Menu	Water View	Beer/Wine	Lounge/Liquor	Catering	Delivery/Take-Out	100% Smoke Free	Entertainment	Meeting Rm - Cap
ASTORIA													
Andrew & Steve's Cafe	1196 Marine Dr.	325-5762	•		•	•	R	•	•	•	T			60
Astoria Thai & Seafood Cuisine	1040 Commercial	325-1316	•	G				•			T	•		
Baked Alaska	#1 12th St., Suite 1	325-7414	•	G		•	R	•	•	•	T	•	•	24
Bowpicker Fish & Chips	17th & Duane	325-3731					R				T	•		
Brockhoff's Coffeehouse	1446 Commercial	325-9315	•		•	•					T	•		
Brown Baggers Deli	1269 Commercial	325-0325	•							•	DT	•		
Burger King	350 Marine Dr.	325-4775	•			•					T	•		
Cafe Uniontown	218 W. Marine Dr.	325-8708	•	•		•	R	•	•		T		•	Call
Cannery Cafe	One Sixth Street	325-8642	•	•		•	R	•	•	•	DT	•		20
Dairy Queen	843 W. Marine Dr.	325-1802	•			•	B				T	•		
Desdemona Club	2997 Marine Dr.	325-8540						•			T		•	
El Ranchero Dos	2975 Marine Dr.	325-2735	•			•		•	•		T	•		
Espresso Peddler	345 W. Marine Dr.	325-9012					R				T			
Flying Barney's Rusty Cup	1213 Commercial	325-8265									T	•		
Fulio's	1149 Commercial	325-9001	•	•		•		•		•	T	•		
Geno's Pizza-N-Burgers	3693 Leif Erickson	325-4927	•	G		•	R	•			DT	•		
Golden Star	599 Bond	325-6260	•	G				•	•		T		•	55
Hong Kong Restaurant	2813 Marine Dr.	325-5344	•	G			R	•	•	•	T		•	100
Josephson's Smokehouse	106 Marine Dr.	325-2190	•								T	•		
Kentucky Fried Chicken	324 W. Marine Dr.	338-6821	•		•	•	R			•	T	•		
Labor Temple Cafe & Bar	934 Duane Street	325-0801	•	G	•			•	•		DT		•	
Las Maracas	229 W. Marine Dr.	325-1255	•				R	•	•	•	T	•		80
Lindstrom's Danish Maid Bakery	1132 Commercial	325-3657									T	•		
Merry Time Restaurant & Lounge	995 Marine Dr.	325-5606	•					•	•		T			
Mr. Fultano's Pizza	620 Olney Ave.	325-2855	•					•		•	DT	•	•	60
Peter Pan Market & Deli	712 Niagara	325-2143									T	•		
Pier 11 Restaurant	77 11th St.	325-0279	•	G	•	•	R	•	•	•	T		•	58
Pig 'n Pancake Restaurant	146 W. Bond St.	325-3144	•		•	•				•	T	•		
Plaza Jalisco	212 8th St.	338-4440	•			•		•	•		T			
Portway	422 W. Marine Dr.	325-2651	•	G	•		R	•	•	•	T		•	
Schooner, Bistro on Twelfth	360 12th St.	325-7882	•	G		•		•	•	•	T	•	•	24
Ship Inn	One 2nd Street	325-0033	•		•	•	R	•	•		T	•		
Silver Salmon Grille	1105 Commercial	338-6640	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	DT			60
Stephanie's Cabin	12 W. Marine Dr.	325-7181	•	G	•	•	R	•		•	T	•		60
Subway	11 W. Marine Dr.	325-3322	•			•	R			•	T	•		20
T. Paul's Urban Cafe	1119 Commercial	338-5133	•	G		•		•		•	T	•	•	15
Tide Point	1820 SE Front	325-1981	•				B	•			T	•		70
Uniontown Fish Market & Deli	229 W. Marine Dr.	325-9592	•		•	•		•		•	DT	•		
Wet Dog Cafe & Brew Pub	144 11th Street	325-6975	•	G		•	R	•	•	•	T		•	150
Windsor House of Tea	1004C Marine Dr.	338-6900	•	•	•						T	•		40
Workers Bar & Grill	281 W. Marine Dr.	338-7291					R	•	•	•	T		•	
WARRENTON - HAMMOND													
Bakery & Deli by the Sea	33223 Sunset Beach	861-0365					L			•	T	•		16
Buoy 9 Restaurant & Lounge	996 Pacific Drive	861-2962	•			•		•	•		T		•	
Dairy Queen	733 SE Marlin	861-1965	•			•					T	•		
Dooger's Seafood & Grill	103 S. Hwy 101	861-2839	•			•		•	•		T	•		40
El Compadre	119 S. Main	861-2906	•	•		•		•	•		T			40
Fultano's Pizza/Bubba's Sports Bar	78 SW Harbor	861-9367	•					•	•		DT			
Subway	161 S. Hwy 101	861-3311	•			•				•	T	•		
OTHER LOCATIONS – OREGON –													
Logger Restaurant, - 42929 Old Hwy. 30	Knappa	458-6886	•		•	•		•	•		T	•		22
Mo's - 195 Warren Wy, Tolovana	So. Cannon Beach	436-1111	•			•	O	•	•	•	T	•		65
– WASHINGTON –													
Sanctuary - 794 Hwy. 101	Chinook	777-8380	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	T	•	•	40+
Shoalwater - 4415 Pacific Hwy.	Seaview	642-4142	•	•		•		•	•	•	T	•		50
The Depot Restaurant - 1208 38th Pl.	Seaview	642-7880	•	•		•		•		•	T	•	•	

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A biker pedals atop Coxcomb Hill in Astoria.
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Blacktop enthusiasts can find routes between 15 and almost 100 miles in length.

Pick up a free Oregon Coast bike map and information in Astoria bike stores or call (503) 325-2961 for local biking information including the Sunset Empire Cycling Club, which sponsors group rides open to the public throughout the summer.

The Fort Stevens ride (nine miles) in Hammond offers recreational pedalers miles of paved paths that skirt ocean beaches, intersect undulating sand dunes and pass wetlands flush with bird life. Maps can be found at the main park office, and bike rentals are available Memorial Day through Labor Day. The gently rolling terrain between Coffenbury Lake and the ocean, carpeted with pine needles and moss, is laced with dirtrock roads and unsigned singletrack suitable for beginning and experienced riders.

The Walluski Loop (15 miles) follows Oregon Highway 202 to Walluski Loop (turn at the state Forestry Department building) and back. For a longer route, continue southeast on Oregon 202 to Youngs River Loop Road. This little-trafficked course continues 25 miles back to Astoria (stop at roaring, 65-foot-high Youngs River Falls along the way).

The Clatsop Loop (20 miles) follows Business Loop 101 across the Old Youngs Bay and Lewis and Clark bridges, then passes Fort Clatsop National Memorial. The route returns to Astoria via scenic Lewis and Clark Road, which overlooks horse pastures and dairy farms.

The Mist Loop (92 miles) heads out U.S. Highway 30 to Clatskanie and switchbacks up Mist Mountain, where the vistas include mounts St. Helens, Adams and Hood. The tiny towns of Mist, Birkenfeld and Jewell afford water and refreshments. Farther along at the Jewell Wildlife Area (with restrooms and picnic areas), unfenced elk graze in broad fields in view of Saddle Mountain, the highest point in the northern Coast Range at 3,283 feet.

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Vacation Rentals

Located in Astoria unless otherwise noted.
GH = Gearhart, OR, SS = Seaside, OR
LB = Long Beach, WA; CW = Cathlamet, WA

Area Code: 503 OREGON 360 WASHINGTON	Credit Cards	Pets Welcome	Handicap Access	Kitchens	Water View	Fireplaces	Internet Access	TV/Cable/Satellite	VCR / DVD	Pool/Hot Tub Suana/Jacuzzi	Meeting Room	# of Units	Rates† per night (year long range)
Chart House, The, 194 Commercial, Astoria	325-3211	•			•	R		•	TC	DV				$179
Columbia Riv. Inn Vacation Home, 1681 Franklin St.	866-396-0404 (Zona)	•			•	R	•	•	TC	V	J	15		$275 +
Lake Lodge Bed & Barn, 18620 Hwy 103 LB	360-665-3637, 800-215-9139	•	•		•	L		•	TS	V	H	50		$150 +
Lodge at Gearhart's Little Beach, 715 H. St. GH	738-8268, 503-288-7318		•		•				TC	V				$725 +
Northwind Vac. Rentals, 948 N. Roosevelt Dr, SS	738-5532, 800-488-3301	Amenities vary by rental												Vary
Pat Ordway Vac. Rentals, 810 Ave. G, SS	738-0837	Amenities vary by rental												Vary
Pier 39 Fisherman's Suites, Foot of 39th, Astoria	325-2502	•			•	R	•	•	TCS	DV	HJ	35	3	$150 +
Riverpark Suite Penthouse, No. 10 6th St,	325-5534, 877-325-5534	•			•	R	•		TC	V				$575 +
RiverMile39, Farmhouse on 110 Ac., CW	360-431-2746	•			•	R		•	TS	VD				$160 +

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Campgrounds

Located in Warrenton, OR, unless otherwise noted. HM = Hammond, OR
LB = Long Beach, WA; OP = Ocean Park, WA

Area Code: 503 OREGON 360 WASHINGTON	Credit Cards	Pets Welcome	Handicap Access	Kitchens	Water View	Fireplaces	Internet Access	TV/Cable/Satellite	VCR / DVD	Pool/Hot Tub Suana/Jacuzzi	Meeting Room	# of Units	Rates† per night (year long range)
Andersen's on the Ocean, 1400 138th St. LB	642-2231, 800-645-6795	•	•	•		O		•	C			90	60	$30
Fort Stevens State Park, 1690 Peter Iredale Rd	861-1671, 800-452-5687	•	•	•									515	$13-29
Hammond Marina RV Pk, 4th & Lake, HM	861-0547		•										50	$25
Kampers West Kampgd, 1140 NW Warrenton Dr	861-1814, 800-880-5267	•	•		•	B		•	C			135	163	$20-28
KOA Campground, 1100 NW Ridge Rd	861-2606, 800-562-8506	•	•	•	•			•	S		PH	100	311	$23-115
Ocean Park Resort, 25904 R St, OP	665-4585, 800-835-4634	•	•		•				C		PH	30	70	$20-24
Sunset Lake Res. & RV Pk, 33242 Sunset Beach Ln	861-1760	•	•	•		L							39	$18-22

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B - Bay
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L - Lake
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ACCOUNTANTS
Allen & Carlson, CPAs, P.C., 10 Sixth St., Suite 101, Astoria 325-2171
Clatsop Bookkeeping, 91481 Lewis & Clark Rd., Astoria ... 325-2207
Jarvis, Redwine & Chaloux, 801 Commercial, Astoria. 325-2945
Luoma & Associates, 610 18th St., Astoria 325-4921
Pratt and Blue, 7 N. Highway 101, Warrenton 861-0492

ACUPUNCTURE
Jade River Acupuncture Clinic, 1410 Marine Drive, Astoria. . 325-7401

ADVERTISING
Swearingen Advertising, 20917 S.W. Martinazzi Ave., Tualatin 885-1415

AMBULANCE
Medix Ambulance Service Inc., 2325 S.E. Dolphin Ave., Warrenton. . . 861-1990

ANTIQUES/COLLECTIBLES
Antler Ridge Trading Co., 3300 Highway 101 N., Gearhart. 738-0224
24 **Jonathon's LTD, 332 12th St., Astoria** 325-7600
26 **Old Things & Objects, 1015 Commercial, Astoria** 338-0030
Phog Bounders Antique Mall, 1084 Commercial, Astoria ... 338-0101
Wesrose's Antiques, 1044 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-2577

APARTMENTS
21 **Emerald Heights, 1 Emerald Drive, Astoria.** 325-8221

APPLIANCES
Roy's Maytag, 129 W. Bond, Astoria 325-7815
Sears, 1152 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-3821

ARCHITECTS
Jay Raskin, architect, P.O. Box 1160, Cannon Beach 436-2162
Tom Potter, architect, 40141 Angberg Lane, Astoria 325-7945

ART GALLERIES
50 **Alley Katz Gallery, 111 Broadway, Suite 10, Seaside** 738-0328
Artful Expressions, 613 Broadway, Seaside 717-8400
Astoria Visual Arts, 160 10th St., Astoria 325-4589
John Cook Studios, 3427 Highway 101 N., Gearhart 738-5122
Lunar Boy Gallery, 1133 Commercial, Astoria 325-1566
17 **RiverSea Gallery, 1160 Commercial, Astoria** 325-1270
Sovereign Gallery by the River, 1004 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-2353
Trails End Art Association, 656 A St., Gearhart. 717-9458
Valley Bronze of Oregon, 1198 Commercial, Astoria 325-3076

ARTISTS
Beeston Art, 300 W. Irving, Astoria 325-8622

ASSISTED LIVING
Astor House Assisted Living, 999 Klaskanine Ave., Astoria. 325-6970
Clatsop Care Center, 646 16th St., Astoria 325-0313

ATTORNEYS
David S. Shannon, Attorney, 817 Fifth Ave., Hammond 861-7975
Michael A. Autio, LLC, P.O. Box 389, Astoria 325-9155
Snow & Snow, P.O. Box 508, Astoria. 325-2511
Stahancyk, Gearing & Rackner, 552 Commercial, Astoria .. 325-9117

ATTRACTIONS
Astoria Children's Museum, 2968 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-8669
57 Cranberry Museum & Gift Shop, 2907 Pioneer Road, Long Beach. ..... (360) 642-5553
13 **Clatsop County Historical Society, P.O. Box 88, Astoria.** 325-2203
18 **Columbia River Maritime Museum, 1792 Marine Drive, Astoria** 325-2323
Fort Clatsop National Memorial, 92343 Fort Clatsop Rd., Astoria 861-2471
28 **Fort Stevens State Park, Ridge Road, Hammond** ... 861-3170 Ext. 23
63 **Garibaldi Museum, 1521 Grove Ave., Garibaldi.** ..... (800) 355-3019
57 Ilwaco Heritage Museum, 115 S.E. Lake St., Ilwaco ..... (360) 642-3446
50 Interstate Amusement Company, 110 Broadway, Seaside 738-5540
Lighthouse Park, P.O. Box 1062, Warrenton. .....
58 Pacific County Historical Society, Milepost 54 Highway 101,South Bend . . (360) 875-5224
Riverfront Trolley Association Inc., 955 Bridgeview Court, Astoria ... 325-7527
50 **Seaside Aquarium, 200 N. Prom, Seaside** 738-6211
31 **Shooting Star Lavender Farm, 17676 Beaver Falls Rd., Clatskanie** ... 728-4236
62 Tillamook Cheese Visitors Center, 4175 Highway 101 N., Tillamook ..... (800) 542-7290
57 World Kite Museum & Hall of Fame, Third Street NW, Long Beach ..... (360) 642-4020

AUTO PARTS
Astoria Automotive Supply, 2275 Commercial, Astoria. 325-2411
Warrenton Auto Parts Inc., 692 S. Main Ave., Warrenton ... 861-2268

AUTO RENTAL
Enterprise Rent-A-Car, 644 W. Marine Drive, Astoria. 325-6500
28 **Hertz System, licensee, 1492 Duane St., Astoria** 325-7700

AUTO REPAIR
Dailey's Auto Body & Paint, 540 16th St., Astoria 338-5276
Graf's Automotive, 34707 Production Lane, Astoria 325-6831
North Coast Auto Service, 2060 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-3282
Putman Pro-Lube Inc., 969 S.E. Marlin Ave., Warrenton 861-1075
Rod's Auto & Marine Electric, 230 E. Marlin Ave., Warrenton 861-2655
26 **Skipanon Marine & RV, 69 N.E. Heron St., Warrenton** 861-3626
27 TJ's Auto Repair, 1085 Alternate Highway 101, Warrenton 861-1172
26 **Warrenton Auto & Marine Repair, 60 S.E. First Ave., Warrenton** 861-2791

AUTO STEREOS
Sound Waves Car Stereo, 1625 E. Harbor Drive, Warrenton. 861-1875

AUTO/RV SALES
Lum's Auto Center Inc., 1625 Exchange St., Astoria 325-3421
Ocean Crest Chevrolet, P.O. Box 700, Warrenton 325-2711
Vince Williams Car Corner, 801 S.E. Marlin Ave., Warrenton 861-3422
Guaranty RV Centers, No. 20 Highway 99, Junction City ..... (541) 998-1148

BAKERIES
Bakery & Deli By The Sea, 33223 Sunset Beach Lane, Warrenton 861-0365
Danish Maid Bakery, 1132 Commercial, Astoria. 325-3657
32 Home Baking Co., 2845 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-4631

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BEAUTY SALONS
Ardelle's Beauty Salon, 1235 Commercial, Astoria 325-2541
Hair Gallery, The, 1292 Commercial, Astoria 338-2988

BED & BREAKFASTS
A Rendezvous Place, 1610 California Ave. S., Long Beach. ..... (360) 642-8877
A Room At The End, 975 34th St., Astoria. 338-6233
Andrew Young, 1188 Harrison Ave., Astoria. 325-2455
Astor Haus, 1370 Madison Ave., Astoria. 325-1944
17 **Astoria Inn, 3391 Irving Ave., Astoria** 325-8153
16 **Benjamin Young Inn, 3652 Duane St., Astoria** 325-6172
Boreas Inn, 607 N Ocean Beach Blvd. Long Beach ... (888) 642-8069
37 Bradley House, 61 Main St. Cathlamet ..... (360) 795-3030
Caswell's On The Bay, P.O. Box 1390, Ocean Park ... (360) 665-6535
Charles Nelson Guest House, P.O. Box 57, Nahcotta. . (360) 665-3016
China Beach Retreat, 222 Robert Gray Drive, Ilwaco . . (360) 642-5660
Clementine's, 847 Exchange St., Astoria 325-2005
Destination, 40060 Highway 30, Astoria 325-0853
23 **Franklin Street Station, 1140 Franklin, Astoria** 325-4314
7 **Grandview, 1574 Grand Ave., Astoria** 325-5555
Inn at Discovery Coast, 421 11th St., Long Beach .... (360) 642-5265
Officer's Inn, 540 Russell Place, Hammond 861-2524
Paradise Home Stay, 5115 Birch St., Astoria 325-4614
22 **Rose River Inn, 1510 Franklin Ave., Astoria** 325-7175
Seaside Oceanfront Inn Bed & Breakfast/Hotel, 581 S. Prom, Seaside 738-6403
56 **Shelburne Inn, 4415 Pacific Way, Seaview** ..... (360) 642-2442
Uppertown B & B, 3738 Franklin Ave., Astoria 325-8306
Whalebone House, 2101 Bay Ave., Ocean Park ..... (360) 665-5371

BEVERAGE DISTRIBUTION
Clatsop Distributing Co., P.O. Box 420, Astoria 861-4275
Mt. Hood Beverage, 3601 N.W. Yeon, Portland 274-9990
Van Dusen Beverages Inc., 500 29th St., Astoria 325-2362

BICYCLES
18 **Bikes & Beyond, 1089 Marine Drive, Astoria** 325-2961

BIKE/BOAT RENTAL
Wheel Fun Rentals, 407 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside. 738-3007

BOOK STORES
Lucy's Books, 348 12th St., Astoria. 325-4210
Tenth Muse Bookstore, The, 111 Broadway, Seaside 717-0370

BOWLING
Lower Columbia Bowl, 826 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-3321

BUSINESS EQUIPMENT
Astoria Business Equipment Co., 1332 Commercial, Astoria 325-6152

CAMPING
Andersen's RV Park, 1400 138th St., Long Beach .... (360) 642-2231
Hammond Marina RV Park, P.O. Box 179, Hammond 861-0547
27 **Kampers West, 1140 N.W. Warrenton Drive, Warrenton** 861-1814
80 **KOA Campground, 1100 Ridge Road, Hammond.** 861-2606
Ocean Park Resort, P.O. Box 339, Ocean Park ..... (800) 835-4634
53 RV Resort at Cannon Beach, 345 Elk Creek Road 436-2231
31 **Sunset Lake Resort & RV Park, 33242 Sunset Beach Lane, No. 20, Warrenton.** 861-1760

CANDY
53 Bruce's Candy Kitchen, 256 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach..... 436-2641
36 **Columbia Chocolates, 1332 Commercial, Astoria** 325-6152

CARPET CLEANING
Distinctive Carpet Care, 407 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside 738-3007
Nu-Way Carpet, 673 S.W. Cedar St., Warrenton 861-2592

CATERING
Custom Catering, 229 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-9592

CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE
Astoria-Warrenton Area Chamber of Commerce, 111 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-6311
Cannon Beach Chamber of Commerce, 207 N. Spruce, Cannon Beach 436-2623
78 Ocean Park Chamber of Commerce, 1715 E. Bay Ave., Ocean Park. ..... (360) 665-4448
Seaside Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 7, Seaside 738-6391

CHILD CARE
Astoria Community Child Center, 770 11th St., Astoria 338-6448
Coryell's Crossing Inc., 326 S.E. Marlin Ave., Warrenton ... 861-0281

CHIROPRACTIC
Astoria Chiropractic, 2935 Marine Drive, Suite B, Astoria ... 325-3311

CHURCHES
Astoria Christian Church, 1151 Harrison Ave., Astoria 325-2591
Center for Spiritual Living/North Coast, P.O. Box 1335, Astoria 338-7244
66 Baha'i' Faith, Astoria 325-7595
67 Bayview Baptist, 490 Olney Ave., Astoria 325-7003
67 Bethany Free Lutheran, 451 34th St., Astoria 325-2925
66 Bible Baptist, 1195 Irving, Ave., Astoria 325-2263
66 Faith Lutheran, 1115 Broadway, Seaside 738-7223
67 **First Presbyterian Church, 1103 Grand Ave., Astoria** 325-1702
66 **First United Methodist Church, 1076 Franklin Ave., Astoria** . 325-5454

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66 Grace Episcopal, 1545 Franklin Ave., Astoria 325-4691
67 Seaside United Methodist Church, 241 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside 738-7562
66 North Coast Family Fellowship, 2245 N. Wahanna Road, Seaside . 738-7453
66 Our Lady of Victory, 120 Ocean Way, Seaside 738-6161
67 **St. Mary, Star of the Sea, 1465 Grand Ave., Astoria** **325-3671**
66 St. Peter, the Fisherman, 79441 U.S. Hwy 101, Arch Cape 436-2876
67 Seaside Christian Church, 88786 Delimoor Loop and U.S. Highway 101, ... Warrenton 738-5182

CIGARS

3 The Havana Room, 357 12th St., Astoria 780-2908

CLOTHING

33 **Amaryllis Clothing, 1184 Commercial, Astoria** **325-9780**
Four Seasons Clothing, 1144 Commercial, Astoria **325-8200**
M&N Workwear Inc., 248 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-7610**

COLLECTIONS

Commercial Adjustment Co., P.O. Box 57, Astoria **325-0511**

COMMUNICATIONS/MARKETING

Energy Trust of Oregon Inc., 733 S.W. Oak St. No. 200, Portland ..... **493-8888 ext. 228**

COMPUTER SERVICES

Bits-N-Bytes, 235 10th St., Astoria **338-6390**
PC Helper, 1020 S.E. Main Court, Warrenton **791-5376**

CONSTRUCTION

A-1 Ready Mix, P.O. Box 1007, Seaside **738-0533**
Astoria Restoration Services, 4940 Cedar St., Astoria **791-0150**
Baugh/Skanska, 2555 S.W. 153rd Drive, Beaverton **641-2500**
BJW Construction, 443 Franklin, Astoria **325-4587**
Jim Wilkins Co., 701 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-3368**
Larry Helligso Construction, 35047-A Highway 105, Astoria **325-7697**
Northwest Ready Mix Inc., 950 Olney Ave., Astoria **325-3562**
P & L Johnson Mechanical Inc., 441 30th St., Astoria **325-2180**
Pacific View, 1345 S.E. Flightline Drive, Warrenton **861-2305**
Rickenbach Construction Inc., 37734 Eagle Lane, Astoria .. **325-3749**

CONSULTING

Trabucco Consulting, 800 Exchange, Suite 410C, Astoria .. **325-7909**

CONVENTION CENTER

Seaside Civic & Convention Center, 415 First Ave., Seaside .. 738-8585. (800) 394-3303

CRAFTS/HOBBIES

34 **Paper Moon, 1024 Marine Drive, Astoria** **325-8217**
Scrapbook Connection, 1665 E. Harbor Drive, Suite B, Warrenton **861-7300**

DANCE STUDIO

13 **Maddox Dance Studio, 389 S. Main Ave., Warrenton** **861-1971**

DELI

Gearhart Grocery/Deli, 599 Pacific Way, Gearhart 738-7312

DENTISTS

Dr. Carneiro, 1775 Exchange, Astoria **325-3533**
Dr. Robert Karby, 520 15th St., Astoria **325-6662**
Leinassar & Klemp, 1414 Marine Drive, Astoria **325-0310**
Dr. Joseph Shawa, 1 12th St. No. 0-2 Astoria **325-2031**
Tyack Dental Group, 433 30th St., Astoria **338-6000**

DOG/CAT KENNELS

Bay Breeze Boarding, 1480 S.E. Ninth St., Warrenton **861-9817**

DRY CLEANERS

22 **Astoria Cleaners, 823 W. Marine Drive, Astoria** **325-5235**

EDUCATIONAL SUPPLIES

A is for Apple, 3601 Highway 101 N., Gearhart 738-6687

ELECTRIC VEHICLES

Lektro Inc., 1190 S.E. Flightline Drive, Warrenton **861-2288**

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS

Clatsop Electric Inc., 160 N.E. Fifth St., Suite D, Warrenton . **325-2261**
EC Company, P. O. Box 746, Astoria **325-5501**

EMBROIDERY, COMMERCIAL

Bent Needle, The, 1444 Commercial, Astoria **325-0638**

EMPLOYMENT

Management & Training Corp., 250 36th St., Astoria **325-1156**
Oregon Employment Dept., 450 Marine Drive Suite 110, Astoria ..... **325-4821 ext. 223**

ENGINEERING

Consultant BSM Structural, LLC, 1 Portway Suite 2A, Astoria **325-8065**
45 **Consultant HLB & Associates Inc., 4253A Highway 101 N., Seaside** .. **738-3425**

ESPRESSO

Brockhoff's Coffeehouse, 1446 Commercial, Astoria **325-9315**
Espresso Peddler, 345 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-9012**
Rusty Cup, 1213 Commercial, Astoria **325-8265**

EVENT AUDIO

Red Raven Audio, P.O. Box 1084, Astoria **791-7985**

EXPORTING

Bifrost International North, 1 12th St., Suite 5, Astoria **325-3033**

FABRIC/QUILTING

53 Center Diamond, 1065 Hemlock St., Cannon Beach 436-0833
55 Creative Fabrics, 475 Highway 101, Wheeler 368-5900
27 **Northwest Stitchin's, 108 10th St., Astoria** **325-3300**
51 Montero Sisters Fabrics, 130 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside 738-7730
62 Janes Fabric Patch, 1110 Main Ave., Tillamook 842-9392

FARM & GARDEN

Brim's Farm & Garden, 34963 Highway 105, Astoria **325-1562**
28 **Lewis & Clark Nursery, 92319 Youngs River Road, Astoria** . **338-7445**
Papa Jack's Farm & Pet, 1168 S.E. Marlin, Warrenton **861-3139**

FARM EQUIPMENT

AG-Bag International LTD, 2320 S.E. AG-Bag Lane, Warrenton **861-1644**
Walluski Western LTD, P.O. Box 642, Astoria **325-5187**

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Bank of America, 977 Commercial, Astoria **325-2333**
23 **Bank of Astoria, P.O. Box 28, Astoria** **325-2228**
Bank of the Pacific, 3410 Highway 101 N. Suite B, Gearhart. **717-0270**
ShoreBank Pacific, 203 Howerton Way S.E., Ilwaco ... **(360) 642-2148**
Sterling Savings Bank, 303 11th St., Astoria **325-1651**
T L C Federal Credit Union, 85 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-2538**
U.S. Bank, 987 Duane St., Astoria **325-3811**
Wauna Federal Credit Union, 100 Columbia, Astoria **325-1044**
Wells Fargo & Company, 1218 Commercial St., Astoria **325-8870**

FISH MARKETS

Bruski's Dock, 80 11th St., Astoria **325-2470**
25 **Fish Landing, 1335 Marine Drive, Astoria** **325-1067**
12 F/V Sonjas, 37197 Towhee Drive, Astoria 325-2500
35 **Uniontown Fish Market, 229 W. Marine Drive, Astoria** **325-9592**
Warrenton Deep Sea, 45 N.E. Harbor Place, Warrenton **861-1233**

FISH PROCESSORS

Astoria Pacific Seafood, Pier 2, Astoria **325-3156**
Fishhawk Fisheries Inc., 100 Fourth St., Astoria **325-5257**
Ocean Beauty Seafoods, 305 Industry, Astoria **325-0656**
Pacific Coast Seafoods Co., 450 N.E. Skipanon Drive, Warrenton **861-2201**

FISH, SMOKED

Josephson's Smokehouse, 106 Marine Drive, Astoria **325-2190**

FISH, WHOLESALE

Point Adams Packing Co., 82 Fleet St., Hammond **861-2226**

FISHING CHARTERS

ABC, Astoria Best Charter, P.O. Box 1176, Astoria ..... (800) 914-6700
28 **Bob Rees, P.O. Box 1196, Tillamook** **377-9696**
29 **Charlton Deep Sea, P.O. Box 637, Warrenton** **861-2429**
Fight Club Guided Fishing, 58901 Evergreen Loop, St. Helens **341-9571**
26 **Gale Force Guides, 90425 Par Road, Warrenton** **861-1494**
57 **Pacific Salmon Charters Inc., P.O. Box 519, Ilwaco** ..... **(360) 642-3466**
Tackle Time Bait Shop & Charter, 220 S.E. Galena, Warrenton **861-3693**
Tiki Charters, 350 Industry, Astoria **325-7818**

FITNESS

Gearhart Workout, 3470 Highway 101, Suite 104 & 105, Gearhart 738-6221
Nu*2*U, 3609 Highway 101, Gearhart 717-1115
6 Columbia Fitness, 30 N. Highway 101, Warrenton 325-7479

FITNESS FOR WOMEN

Curves For Women, 1154 Commercial, Suite A, Astoria **338-1294**

FLOORING

55 Howell's Floor Covering, 453 Manzanita Ave., Manzanita 368-5572

FLORAL/GIFTS

Astoria Florist, 951 Commercial, Astoria **325-3571**
Laurelwood Designs, 1390 Duane St., Astoria **325-7030**

FOREST PRODUCTS

Teevin Bros. Land & Timber Inc., 42894 Old Highway 30, Astoria **458-6671**
Warrenton Fiber Co. Inc., 389 N.W. 13th, Warrenton **861-3305**
Weyerhaeuser Co., P.O. Box 469, Warrenton **861-2261**
Weyerhaeuser Co., 86645 Lewis & Clark Road, Seaside **738-6351**

FUEL/OIL

Hendricksen Oil, P.O. Box 23, Astoria **325-5701**
Wilcox & Flegel Oil Co., P.O. Box 1068, Astoria **325-3122**
Youngs Bay Texaco, Food Mart &, P.O. Box 773, Seaside .. **738-5639**

GARAGE DOORS

Coast Garage Door, 710 Fifth Ave., Seaside **738-3165**

GAS STATION

Herb's Kwik Mart/Shell, 1575 S. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside 738-7424

GEOLOGY CONSULTANT

Buffalo Geological Consulting, P.O. Box 53, Astoria **338-1290**

GIFTS/RETAIL

42 A Great Shop, 576 Pacific Highway, Gearhart 738-3540
Country Crafters, 106 10th St., Astoria **325-4355**
16 **Finn Ware, 1116 Commercial, Astoria** **325-5720**
Granderson's, 612 Broadway, Seaside 738-8265
17 **Leisure Cup Etc., 77 11th St., Astoria** **325-5691**
Let It Rain, 1124 Commercial, Astoria **325-7728**
Sesame and Lilies, Pacific Way and Highway 101, Gearhart ... 738-7137
Terra Tones, 1153 Commercial, Astoria **325-5548**

GLASS

DK Window Works, 1140 S.E. Marlin, Warrenton **861-0729**
Glass Tech of Oregon Inc., 21255 N.W. Jacobson Road No. 100, Hillsboro **646-3989**

GOLF

Astoria Golf & Country Club, 3445 Sunset Beach Lane, Warrenton **861-2211**
42 Gearhart Golf Links, 1157 N. Marion Ave., Gearhart 738-3538
Lewis & Clark Country Golf, 92319 Youngs River Road, Astoria **338-3386**

GOVERNMENT

22 **Clatsop County Dept. of Community Development, 800 Exchange Suite 100, Astoria** **325-8611**
City of Astoria, 1095 Duane St., Astoria **325-5821**
City of Warrenton, P.O. Box 250, Warrenton **861-2233**
30 **Port of Astoria, No. 1 Portway, Astoria** **325-4521**

GRANITE

Astoria Granite Works, 415 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-0761**

GROCERS

Astoria Downtown Market, 1020 Commercial St., Astoria ... **338-4321**
Astoria Mini Mart, 95 W. Marine Drive, Astoria **325-4162**
Main St. Select Market, 91 S.W. Main, Warrenton **861-2271**
Safeway Inc., 3250 Lief Erickson Drive, Astoria **338-2960**
Warrenton Mini Mart, 58 S.E. Harbor Drive, Warrenton **861-2246**

HARDWARE/LUMBER

Astoria Builders Supply Co., 1777 Marine Drive, Astoria ... **325-3611**
City Lumber Company, 2142 Commercial, Astoria **325-4511**

HEALTH CARE

Clatsop Behavioral Healthcare, No. 10 Sixth St., Suite 103, Astoria **325-5722**
22 **Coastal Family Health Center, 2055 Exchange St., Suite 210, Astoria** **325-8315**

HEALTH FOOD

21 **Astoria Cooperative, 1389 Duane St., Astoria** **325-0027**

HEATING

Diamond Heating, P.O. Box 239, Astoria **325-7932**

HERBAL PRACTITIONER

9 **A Gypsy's Whimsy Herbal Apothecary, 1139 Commercial, Astoria** **338-4871**

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HOME DECOR

Mediterranean Bazaar, 1 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside 738-3737

HOME FURNISHINGS

Hunt's Home Furnishings, 1535 Commercial, Astoria 325-4947
Mead Interiors Inc., 106 Third St., Astoria 325-0701

HORSE RENTALS

Skipper's Equestrian Center, P.O. Box 621, Long Beach ..... (360) 642-3676

HOSPITALS

11 **Columbia Memorial Hospital, 2111 Exchange St., Astoria .. 325-4321**
44 Providence Seaside Hospital, 725 Wahanna Road, Seaside ... 717-7000

INDIVIDUALS

Arnoth, Dan, P.O. Box 209, Astoria 325-5139
Chopping, Robert, 168 Duane St., Astoria 338-2992
Compere, John, 167 W. Grand Ave., Astoria 325-6519
Curry, Jean, 35342 Searls Lane, Astoria 325-6127
Decker, Pat, 33589 S.W. Laurel Road, Hillsboro .....
Gaebel, Lylla, P.O. Box 1058, Warrenton 717-4655
Haskell, Larry, 3105 Harrison Ave., Astoria 325-6567
Hauke, Skip, 1385 Third St., Astoria 325-6422
Holmes, Denny, 90531 East Road, Warrenton 861-9783
Iverson, Suzanne, 34837 Highway 105, Astoria 325-8743
LaMear, Cliff and Arline, 288 Franklin Ave., Astoria 338-6883
Mathews, Loran, 1820 Seventh St., Astoria 325-6136
McDaniel, Don, P.O. Box 1111, Astoria 325-8933
Nyberg, Emil E., 427 Chinook Ave., Astoria 338-7400
Rocka, Roger, 362 Duane St., Astoria 325-8618
Rusinovich, Kathren, 1490 Commercial, Astoria 325-6848
Santee, James, 42162 Bagley Lane, Astoria 458-6429
Schwarz, Sigmund, 388 Lincoln St., Astoria 338-4884
Spence, June, 735 Fifth Ave., Hammond 861-2122
Twiss, Melody, 1270 S.E. Flightline Drive, Warrenton 861-6091
Wu, David, 620 S.W. Main St., Suite 606, Portland 326-2901

INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY

Fisher Bros., 42 Seventh St., Astoria 325-3341

INFORMATIONAL SYSTEMS

i Focus Consulting, No. 10 Sixth St., Suite 110, Astoria 338-7443

INSURANCE

Aflac Insurance, 708 Florence Ave., Astoria 325-0764
Allstate Insurance, 104 10th St., Astoria 325-8427
American Family Insurance, 1125 Commercial, Astoria 338-6299
John Marsch/Farmers Insurance, 1017 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-4410
Knutsen Insurance, P.O. Box 657, Astoria 325-1541
Sennhauser & Associates Inc., P.O. Box 123, Astoria 325-0154
State Farm Insurance, 653 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-5920

INVESTMENTS

Brown Financial Group, LLC, 10 Sixth St., Suite 215, Astoria 325-7972
Edward Jones Investments, 632-A W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-7991
N. Landwehr Investment Advisor, 572 S. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside 717-9792

JANITORIAL

1st Class Janitorial Service, P.O. Box 2801, Gearhart 440-8298
American Linen, P.O. Box 17337, Portland 325-3941
Astoria Janitor & Paper Supply, 1055 Marine Drive, Astoria. 325-6362
M&N Cleaning Service, 92433 Carnegie Road, Astoria 325-4500
Oregon Janitorial Service, P.O. Box 277, Warrenton 861-2689

JEWELERS

Gannaway Bros. Jewelers, U.S. Highway 101, Warrenton... 861-1481
Holly McHone, 1150 Commercial, Astoria 325-8029

KAYAKS

Pacific Wave, 2021 Highway 101, Warrenton 861-0866

LABORATORY

OSU Seafood Lab, 2001 Marine Drive, Room 253, Astoria .. 325-4531

LAWN CARE

DeJesus Lawn Maintenance, 110 N.W. Fourth, Suite B2, Warrenton .. 791-5329
Hauer's Lawn Care & Equipment, 295 W. Marine Drive Astoria 325-8788

LINGERIE

17 **Victorian Lace, 1130 Commercial, Astoria 325-1030**

LOCKSMITH

Hauer's Cyclery & Locksmith, 1606 Marine Drive, Astoria .. 325-7334

LODGING

Anchorage Cottages, 2209 Boulevard N., Long Beach . (800) 646-2351
8 **Astoria Dunes Motel, 288 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-7111**
31 **Astoria-Rivershore Motel, 59 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-2921**
29 **Best Western Astoria Inn, 555 Hamburg Ave., Astoria 325-2205**
Boardwalk Cottages, 800 Ocean Beach Blvd. S., Long Beach ..... (360) 642-2305
59 **Breakers, Pacific Highway & 26th St., Long Beach ... (800) 219-9833**
17 Cannery Pier Hotel, No. 10 Basin St., Astoria ..... (888) 325-4996
48 Canness Inn & Suites, 2455 S. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside 738-8971
Chautauqua Lodge, P.O. Box 757, Long Beach ..... (360) 642-4401
Columbia Inn, 495 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-4211
69 **Comfort Suites, 3420 Lief Erickson Drive, Astoria 325-2000**
48 Comfort Inn Boardwalk, 545 Brodaway, Seaside 738-3011
24 **Crest Motel, 5366 Lief Erickson Drive, Astoria 325-3141**
Enchanted Cottages/Antique Village, 4102 Pacific Way, Seaview ..... (360) 642-8606
Hallmark Resort, 1400 S. Hemlock, Cannon Beach ... (888) 448-4449
49 Hillcrest Inn, 118 N. Columbia St., Seaside 738-6273
71 **Holiday Inn Express/Seaside, 34 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside 717-8000**
18 **Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites, 204 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-6222**
2 **Hotel Elliott, 357 12th St., Astoria 325-2222**
Inn at Manzanita, 67 Laneda Ave., Manzanita 368-6754
Lamplighter Motel, 131 W. Marine Drive, Astoria 325-4051
48 Lanai at the Cove, 3140 Sunset Blvd., Seaside 738-6343
49 Motel 6, 2369 S. Roosevelt Drive, Seaside 738-6269
56 **Ocean Park Resort/Motel, P.O. Box 339, Ocean Park.. (360) 665-4585**
15 **Red Lion Hotels Inc., 400 Industry, Astoria 325-7373**
32 **Rosebriar Hotel, LLC, 636 14th St., Astoria 325-7427**
Seaview Motel & Cottages, 3728 Pacific, Seaview .... (360) 642-2450
Shaman Motel, 115 Third St. S.W., Long Beach ..... (360) 642-3714
27 **Shilo Inn, 1609 E. Harbor Drive, Warrenton 861-2181**
Shilo Inn Seaside East, 900 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside..... 738-0549
Shilo Inn Seaside Oceanfront, 30 N. Prom, Seaside..... 738-9571
49 Sundowner, 125 Ocean Way, Seaside 738-9057
Super 8 Motel, 500 Ocean Beach, Long Beach ..... (360) 642-8988
The Lighthouse, an Oceanfront Resort, 12417 Pacific Way, Long Beach..... (360) 642-3622
49 Weiss Paradise Suites, 741 S. Downing St., Seaside 738-6691

MACHINE SHOPS

Pacific Machine Shop, P.O. Box 467, Warrenton 861-1182

MAGAZINES/BOOKS

20 **Chris' News, 1412 Commercial St., Astoria..... 325-2832**

MAIL

Service Sunset Presort Mail Service, 397 Marine Drive, Astoria..... 325-0381

MANUFACTURING

Autio Company, 93750 Autio Loop, Astoria 458-6409

MARINA/RV STORE

Jetty Fishery, LLC, 27550 Highway 101 N., Rockaway..... 368-5748

MARINE SUPPLY

Englund Marine Supply Co. Inc., 101 15th St., Astoria 325-4341
West Coast Propeller Service, 827 N.E. Harbor, Warrenton . 861-1483

MASSAGE/DAY SPA

Allow Your Body to Heal, 1406 Marine Drive, Astoria 325-3887
5 **Columbia River Day Spa, 1215 Duane St., Astoria..... 325-7721**
28 **Happy Bear Massage, 811 Harrison Ave., Astoria 791-3244**

MEAT PACKING

Reed & Hertig Packing Co., 90266 Highway 101, Warrenton. 861-2237

MEDICAL SUPPLY

Pacific Coast Medical Supply Inc., 1210 Marine Drive, Astoria..... 338-0349

MEDICAL/MRI

Columbia Pacific Imaging Inc., 2055 Exchange St., Suite 170, Astoria 325-2559

MILITARY

Camp Rilea, 33168 Patriot Way, Warrenton 861-4007

MORTGAGE BROKER

Northwest Lending Group, 1227 Commercial, Astoria 325-4116

MORTGAGE LOANS

32 **Essential Mortgage Loan Service, 1442 Commercial, Astoria .. 325-6346**

MORTUARIES

Hughes Ransom Mortuary 220 N. Holladay Drive, Seaside.. 325-2535
Hughes-Ransom Mortuary 576 12th Street, Astoria..... 325-2535

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NEWSPAPERS

78 **Astorian-Budget Publishing Co. 949 Exchange St., Astoria 325-3211**
Pelican Post, P.O. Box 278, Cannon Beach 436-0378
Seaside Signal, P.O. Box 848, Seaside 738-5561

OPTOMETRY

Dr. David Williams, OD, 495 Olney Ave., Astoria 325-3161
North Coast Vision Center, 577 18th St., Astoria 325-4401

ORGANIZATIONS

American Cancer Society, 0330 S.W. Curry, Portland 795-3964
American Legion Post 12, 1132 Exchange St., Astoria 325-5771
Astoria B.P.O.E. Lodge No. 180, 453 11th St., Astoria 325-2806
Astoria Clowns, P.O. Box 941, Astoria 325-6533
Astoria Division U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corp, 33860 South Shore Drive, Warrenton..... 861-2583
Astoria Moose Lodge, P.O. Box 22, Astoria 325-0881
Astoria Music Festival & Academy, P.O. Box 1130, Astoria . 338-5545
Astoria Regatta Association, P.O. Box 24, Astoria 325-2353
Astoria Rotary Club, P.O. Box 814, Astoria..... 861-9703
Astoria Senior Center Inc., 1111 Exchange St., Astoria..... 325-3231
Astoria Sunday Market, P.O. Box 973, Astoria 325-1010
CASA Program, P.O. Box 514, Astoria 338-6063
Clatsop Animal Assistance Inc., P.O. Box 622, Warrenton .. 861-0737
Clatsop Community Action, 364 9th St., Astoria 325-1400
Clatsop County Community Development, 800 Exchange, Suite 100, Astoria 325-8611
Clatsop County Fair Board, 92937 Walluski Loop, Astoria .. 325-4600
Coast Guard Spouses Association of Astoria, P.O. Box 862, Astoria 861-0396
Columbia River Bar Pilots, P.O. Box 87, Astoria 325-2643
Friends of Astoria Column, P.O. Box 717, Astoria..... 325-2963
Gearhart Merchant's Association, P.O. Box 2018, Gearhart . 738-5118
Kiwanis Club of Astoria, P.O. Box 209, Astoria 338-7400
Lewis & Clark Bicentennial Association, P.O. Box 2005, Astoria 861-4403
Lower Columbia Preservation Society, P.O. Box 1334, Astoria 325-0209
Marine Spill Response Corporation, 1330 Industry St., Suite 100, Everett..... 325-6330
North Coast Building Industry Association, P.O. Box 367 Warrenton 861-0696
North Coast Chorale, 783 Fifth, Hammond 861-9770
NW Oregon Housing Authority, P.O. Box 1149 Warrenton ..... 861-0119, ext. 121
Oregon Fishermen's Cable Committee, 2021 Marine Drive, Suite 102, Astoria 325-2285
Pacific Marine Conservation Council, P.O. Box 59, Astoria . 325-8188
Salmon For All, P.O. Box 56, Astoria..... 325-3831
Sandpiper Chorus, P.O. Box 801, Seaside 738-7107
34 **Scandinavian Midsummer Festival, P.O. Box 34, Astoria ... 325-0542**

PAPER MILL

Georgia-Pacific, 92326 Taylorville Road, Clatskanie 455-2221

PHARMACIES

Astoria Pharmacy/Owl Drug, 2223 Marine Drive, Astoria ... 325-4311
Family Pharmacy, 2120 Exchange St., Suite 101, Astoria ... 325-3455

PHOTO STORE

33 **Compleat Photographer, 475 14th St., Astoria 325-0759**

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Hawk species include white-tailed kite, northern harrier, red-tailed and rough-legged hawk, peregrine falcon and even an occasional gyrfalcon.

By March, spring migrants arrive. Of these is one of the smallest birds in North America, the rufous hummingbird, which can be seen in remarkable numbers in patches of blooming salmonberries. The linear park that runs west from Warrenton all the way to Hammond is one of the more accessible locations to watch the hummingbird migration. The walking trail and dike along the Columbia River at Alder Creek also afford views of estuarine wetland and tide flats and the many species of waterfowl that use the estuary in early spring.

April and May is peak migration season for species moving from wintering grounds to breeding grounds. This is the time when the tufted puffins return to Haystack Rock in Cannon Beach. Northbound shorebird numbers reach their peak by the first week of May and thousands can be seen along the beaches and at the Necanicum Estuary in Seaside. The large expanse of exposed tidal flat is very attractive to semipalmated plovers, curlews and sandpipers looking for a meal of worms or crustaceans.

By June, most species have settled down to the business of reproduction. At Ecola State Park in Cannon Beach, 50,000 common murres can be seen tightly packed on the rocks off Chapman and Ecola Points, along with nesting brandts and pelagic cormorants. Further inland, a hike up the trail to the top of Saddle Mountain will almost certainly include the steady booming call of blue grouse, the buzz of varied thrush and the babbling of hermit warblers.

ELLEN HAMILL

Sea gulls are plentiful on Oregon beaches.

Fort Stevens State Park in Warrenton is the place to be in July and August when the shorebirds begin their trip back south and nearshore seabirds arrive to feast on runs of anchovy and herring. Sooty shearwaters congregate by the hundreds of thousands in the waters just off the South Jetty. About 5,000 brown pelicans summer here yearly. Shorebirds gather to feed at high tide roosts at parking lot C.

The landbird migration takes off in September and October as warblers, thrushes and sparrows move south. On clear mornings, the fallout of nocturnal migrations can be seen from the Astoria Column.

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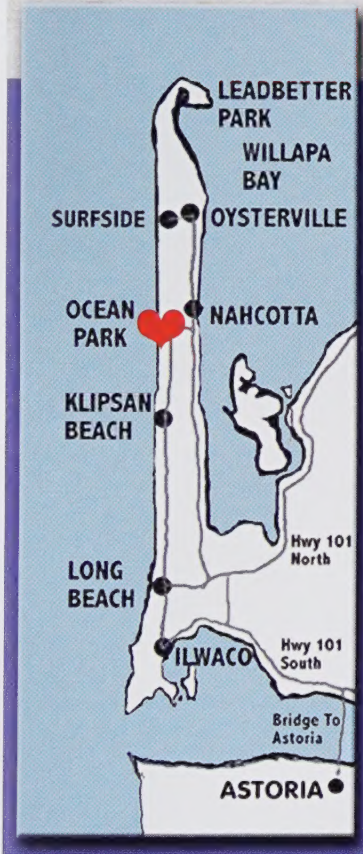

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